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DANCING in the commodious hall during the evening.
Tenders for supplying Music and Refreshments will be received until 4 p. m. June 21st.
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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for a new Brick foundation and other work to St. John's Episcopal Church, up to 3 p. m. Saturday, July 2nd.
The right to reject any or all tenders is reserved.
Plans and specifications can be seen on and after Wednesday next, at my office.
S. C. BURRIS, Architect, Hamley Building, Cor. Government and Broughton St. je26

Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F.
THE MEMBERS OF THE above Lodge are requested to meet at the Lodge Room, Douglas Street, TO-DAY (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the Funeral of our late Brother CHAS. TAYLOR.
Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend.
By order of the N. G.
R. W. FAWCETT, Secretary. je26

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 6th, 1887.
SALE OF STEAMER—Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, September 15, 1887, and publicly opened immediately thereafter, for the purchase by the highest bidder, for cash, and in her present condition, of the twin screw steamer "Lively," 45 feet long, 12 feet beam and about 4½ feet draught, now laid up at Port Simpson, B. C.
Notice of the acceptance of a bid shall bind the bidder to pay the amount thereof within ten days after receipt by him of such notice.
The right is reserved to reject any and all bids not deemed advantageous to the government.
Envelopes to be endorsed "Proposals for purchase of "Lively," and addressed to Superintendent Coast Survey, Washington. je26

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MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1887. je26-1m

Notice to Road Contractors.
SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL BE received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Saturday, 9th July, for works and repairs required to be done upon the following roads, viz: Cedar Hill, Cordova Bay, Hillside Avenue and Burnside road.
Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. S. GORE, Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Dept., Victoria, B. C., 25th June, 1887. je26-dw

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NOTICE.
SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Tuesday, 5th July, for the continuation of a plank side walk on the Esquimalt road.
Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. S. GORE, Surveyor General.
Land and Works Dept., Victoria, B. C., 24th June, 1887. je25

Law Society of British Columbia.
THE ADJOURNED EXAMINATION OF Law Students will be held on Wednesday, the 6th of July next.
je25 J. P. WALLS, Secretary.

LOST on Beacon Hill or in the woods, through which the attack was made, a pair of Binocular Field Glasses, marked on the tube: Sept. 21, 1873. L. D. SAMPSON.
Whoever returns the same if found to THE COLONIST office will be rewarded. je24-tf

S. C. BURRIS,
ARCHITECT.
Hamley Building, Cor. of Government and Broughton Streets.
mar15-4m

CABLE NEWS.

The Thistle Wins Another Race and Raises the Standard.

A Subsidy to be Offered for Three Lines of Steamers on the Trans-Canadian Route.

The Anglo-Turkish Convention—Further Consideration of the Crimes Bill—A Lively Fight in Yorkshire, and a Lady's Jewels Stolen.

A Yorkshire Fight.

LONDON, June 25.—A party of gentlemen and land owners belonging to county West Moreland, while out riding to-day near the boundary separating that county from Yorkshire, offended some Yorkshiremen and were forbidden to cross the line. They crossed and a bloody encounter ensued, in which clubs and fists were freely used. A number were injured on both sides, and several magistrates were among those injured.

Stolen Jewels.

The *Standard* says to-day that the dowager Lady Meux while leaving Paris met a man on their travels in London and both went to a hotel at Holborn, where the man engaged apartments, taking a separate room for himself. He decamped from the hotel taking jewels worth £6,500 belonging to Lady Meux.

The Stock Markets.

The London stock markets are calm. It is the general feeling that the worst in the New York stock exchange has passed.

The Jubilee Yacht Race.

The Genesta, which is leading in the jubilee yacht race, passed Plymouth this morning, she was making but slow progress contending against dead head wind and strong tide.

A "Tiger" for Blaine."

James G. Blaine to-day visited the American exhibition. After the performance he had an informal reception and was loudly cheered, one spectator calling for and getting for Blaine "Three-times-three and a tiger."

Proposed Pacific Steamer.

The government is considering an offer by which the subsidy of £5,000 yearly will secure three lines of first class steamers on the trans-Canadian route to the east, one line to connect at Liverpool and Halifax, and the other two to connect with the Pacific terminus of the Canadian Pacific railway with Australia.

The Afghan Negotiations.

The *Standard* says the Afghan negotiations tend to an early and satisfactory settlement.

The Crimes Bill.

The Gladstonians approve of a speedy passage through of the remaining stages of the crimes bill in order to confine to the report at this stage the discussion of only prominent amendments. They will concentrate attention on the land bill.

The Anglo-Turkish Trouble.

BRUSSELS, June 25.—*Lenard*, the Russian organ published here, denies the report that Russia is willing to accept the Anglo-Turkish convention concerning Egypt. If England will accept the Prince of Miningrelia and Prince of Bulgaria the paper declares Russia will execute her policy and won't bargain about it.

The Thistle Racing Again.

GLASGOW, June 25.—The yachts Thistle and Irex started from Rothesa to-day on a fifty mile race. There was a brisk breeze at the time. The Thistle at once took the lead.

The Thistle won the prize, covering the course in 4 hours, six minutes and 45 seconds' time. The Irex was 4 hours, 18 minutes and 45 seconds.

French Jubilee Observance.

PARIS, June 25.—The American Colony will celebrate the Queen's Jubilee in the American church on Tuesday next, the anniversary of her coronation.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Volunteers Under Orders.

CHICAGO, June 25.—A special from Winnipeg says that secret orders have been issued to local volunteer battalions to hold themselves in readiness for active service. It is believed to be a ruse on the part of the Dominion government to send volunteers west under the pretext that another uprising among the Indians is feared, so that the government can easily carry out the evident intention of preventing Manitoba building the proposed road to the boundary. It is said to be the government's intention to send into Winnipeg mounted police, and in the absence of volunteers, coerce the province into submission.

Many citizens are discussing the affair and a measure is being devised to meet the government and checkmate its scheme.

The Nevada Mine Disaster.

VIRGINIA CITY, June 25.—The fire in the Gould and Curry mine was brought under control at 9:30 this morning, and all efforts are now being directed to the rescue of the six imprisoned men. The damage to the mine by the flames is not serious. At noon the fire had been completely extinguished and the cage had been lowered to the 1300 foot level in an endeavor to reach the imprisoned men.

Shipping Circle Stir.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—The quietness which prevailed in shipping circles for several weeks past was broken yesterday by the arrival of thirty-three vessels up to last night.

Destroyed by Earthquakes.

CARSON, Nev., June 25.—The Mono county marble quarry, sixty miles from this city, was completely destroyed by the recent earthquake. The marble was broken up in cubes not over a foot square. The ledge is over five miles long and 400 feet wide, containing fine grade marble, ranging over seventeen shades from pure white to black. The mine was valued at $1,000,000.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

There is a panic in the New York stock market.

From advices from Panama, under date of June 4th, it is learned that Dr. Rafael Nunenz entered formally into the possession of office as president of the republic.

The imprisoned miners at Virginia City, Nev., were not reached yesterday.

The total number of presidential offices in the U. S. at the beginning of the fiscal year will be 2,336.

The census taken throughout Brazil shows that there are less than 700,000 slaves in the whole empire.

There is great excitement around Tombstone, Arizona, owing to the warlike demonstrations of the Indians.

At Valparaiso, up to May 1st, 899 cases of cholera had occurred and of the number 628 died. In Quillota, 1978 cases had occurred and 1002 deaths.

Wm. K. Vanderbilt's yacht, the Alva, will start from New York on the morning of July 2nd, on a cruise around the world carrying Vanderbilt and a party of friends.

At North Industry, Stark county, Ohio, Thursday, Conrad Doll, a carpenter, quarrelled with his wife and killed her and his stepson with a hatchet. He has not yet been found.

The Augustine synod of the Evanglical Lutheran church at Chicago adopted a resolution that no student in the synod's educational institution at Rock Island be allowed to use tobacco.

The *Journal Des Debats* denies that the French and Russian ambassadors at Constantinople sent a note to the porte threatening that war would result if the Egyptian convention was ratified.

The period of grace granted Dr. McGlynn of New York has about expired. He has made no signs of submission. It is stated the Pope will, without further delay, formally excommunicate him.

Private advices from Guaymas say that the Yaqui chief, Anastacio Cuca, one of Cajema's lieutenants during the late Yaqui war, was executed a few days ago at Yaqui river, in the presence of his people.

The cabinet has decided to prorogue parliament about the middle of August. It is reported in unionist quarters that strong opposition will be offered. The proposed supplementary crimes bill will be dropped.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs Atkins has forwarded to Secretary Lamar a list of names from which are to be selected special agents, provided for by the Indian severalty bill, to supervise the allotment of lands to Indians.

Railroad development in southern California, directed by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, with the aid of kindred organizations, such as the Atlantic & Pacific and the California Southern companies, does not diminish.

United States Consul-General Walter presided at a jubilee banquet given Wednesday night at the Hotel Metropolitan by foreign consuls in London. Two hundred persons were present including representatives of forty nations.

A hastily summoned cabinet meeting was held on Thursday to consider the hitch in regard to the Anglo-Turkise convention in reference to Egypt. The government is irritated at the opposition to the convention on the part of France and Russia.

The U. S. civil service commission proposes early next month to make a tour of the Northwest Pacific coast, and the Southwest, for the purpose of giving those persons who desire to attain governmental salaries through a display of their literary qualifications, an opportunity to be examined.

The mysterious Anna J. Butterfield, who left Riverside last Sunday, and who was suspected of having had some connection with the alleged abduction of Mrs. Brooks, of Macala, Mich., has been discovered in San Francisco. She appears to be partially demented.

The silver chasers of New York, who have been on strike for nearly three months, are forsaking the K. of L. and being taken back by their employers on condition of their renunciation of allegiance to trades unions. All are expected to be at work in a few days.

D. A. McKinley, His Hawaiian Majesty's consul at San Francisco, says in regard to the alleged rebellion, that from his private knowledge and information he considers a great majority of the reports published by several sensational local journals to be nothing more than fabrications of imaginative journalists.

Wherever the Canadian Pacific can figure out a cent of profit it is making rates to beat those of American lines. Yesterday the tariff rate on borax to St. Louis, 77 cents per hundred pounds, was scaled down to 70 cents by the foreign line, and three carloads were taken at that figure. The cut will probably be met by the American lines, but it means the hauling of that class of freight at a very low percentage of profit.

Captain Hummell, of the steamship Lore, which arrived in Baltimore on Wednesday evening from Rotterdam, reports that on Tuesday last, at about 6 o'clock in the evening, his vessel was in collision with the British brigantine Aldywith, which was carrying a cargo of sugar from St. Louis, Hayti, to New York. The collision occurred off Cape Henlopen in a dense fog.

A dispatch to London announcing that the British corvette Conquest has been ordered to Honolulu to protect the interests of British subjects there in the event of trouble of a serious nature has a tendency to keep in a flame the reports of a probable revolution in Hawaii. It is understood also that the United States minister has asked this government for a war vessel to proceed to Hawaiian waters.

A SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

Rhea Closes a Successful Engagement at the Newmarket Theatre—Kate Field and Dan'l Sully the Next Attractions.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

PORTLAND, Or., June 25.—The present season at the Newmarket theatre has been the most successful one for years. The management has carefully selected first-class attractions, hence the success. Rhea closed a successful engagement to-night. Kate Field lectures next Friday on "Charles Dickens and his works." The next attraction of note is the celebrated Irish comedian, Mr. Dan'l Sully, who has been convulsing San Francisco with his latest comedies, "Dady Nolan" and the "Corner Grocery."

THE LOAN BY-LAW

For New Westminster to Borrow $75,000 is Carried by Thirteen Majority.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 25.—The loan by-law to borrow $75,000 was carried by thirteen majority. A number of the largest property owners who opposed it were held disqualified. Proceedings will be taken in the supreme court to quash the by-law.

OUR GERMAN LETTER.

Change Sentence of Members of French Patriotic League.

Oppressive Measures Against German Residents in France in Violation of the Frankfort Treaty.

Major Hinze is Deprived of His Title for Refusing to Fight a Duel—The Emperor is Rapidly Convalescing and will Visit Gastein.

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BERLIN, June 25.—The prisoners Koechin and Black, who were recently convicted of treason in belonging to the French patriotic league were to-day transferred from Leipsic to Madgeburg fortress, and their associates Scheifferman and Tropp to Gratz, where they will remain until their periods of detention expire. The opinion throughout Germany is that the prisoners have been leniently treated, and may have their sentences modified, but their chances of obtaining commutation is in the cessation of the patriotic league agitation, and in their making a direct appeal for mercy to the Emperor. The tone of the French press in demanding the release of Koechlin together with threats of retaliation on German subjects in France tends to inciting an increase of severeties against French malcontents in Alsace-Lorraine. The position of Germans in France has become under social persecution barely tollerable. They would be hunted out of the country altogether but for the protection guaranteed them under the Frankfort treaty.

The latest anti-German project to which the attention of the Berlin officials has been directed, is the proposal before the chamber of deputies of making foreign residents in France who may be members of the association hostile to French interests liable to a fine and imprisonment and expulsion. The proposal is capable of such elastic interpretation as to cover all the Germans sojourning in France. The measure, if supported by the government, will be assumed here to be directly hostile to Germans and will lead to an energetic remonstrance, as it is a breach of the Frankfort treaty.

The *Official Gazette* for the Reichstag in contradicting the French fables about suppression of foreign traders and French manufacturers in Alsace-Lorraine, defines clearly what the German government aims to accomplish. It declares that the government's desire is to foster all the commercial activities and to know only such measures as may be necessary to maintain peace and weaken the influences tending to regard a reunion of Alsace-Lorraine with Germany.

The government has now decided not to further delay the trial of Klein and his colleagues for high treason committed at the instigation of Schmebeles, as the outbreak of Chauvenism in France has precipitated the trial, which will begin July the 16th in open court. Every facility will be afforded representatives of the French and all foreign press. This trial will be a great deal more interesting than those of the Alsatians at Leipsic recently, as the prosecution is less intent upon convicting Klein and his accomplices than the exposure of tricks of the French war office to procure information as to the condition of the fortress and military plans of Germany.

The social sensation of the week has been the verdict of officers of the court of honorary in the case of Major Hinze, accusee of ommitting to challenge to a duel his political opponent in the Reichstag election, who, during the campaign, aspersed his honor as an officer. Major Hinze was retired from the army on a pension. He was a progressist in the dispute in the late Reichstag. He opposed the septennate and favored the short service system. He became intensely unpopular among his former brother officers, who denounced him during the electoral struggle as unfit to bear an army title or to wear orders. He prosecuted his slanderer in a court of law and got a successful verdict whereupon the staff officers of the guards corps appointed a court of honor, whose decree deprives Hinze of the right to title of major and to wear the uniform of the army. The Emperor has conferred the degredation of Hinze, although there is a clause in the criminal code applying equally to soldiers and civilians which forbids challenging to duel under penalty of six months' imprisonment. This decision puts the stamp of highest authority on duelling as the laudable custom prevailing over the law forbidding it. Hinze and his friends charge that the military court was influenced by political hatred. The Emperor has completely recovered. He drove out at noon to-day with the Duchess of Baken and in the afternoon heard long reports from Count Herbert Bismarck. Yesterday he resumed his custom of appearing at the window to return the greetings of the multitude that daily gathers in front of the palace. He looked paler than formerly but is well set up and hearty. His hours of recuperation are more than a marvel to his physician. The Emperor is now arranging to visit Gastein after his sojourn at Elms and to attend the autumn manœuvres in West Prussia.

THE NANAIMO DISASTER.

The Close of the Inquest—The Verdict.

The inquiry into the circumstances of the explosion in the V. C. Co.'s mine was resumed before Coroner Walkem at 2 p.m. on Friday.

Present, Hon. John Robson, minister of mines, on behalf of the government, Mr. Drake, Q. C., on the part of the V. C. Co., and Mr. Jas. Young representing the widows and orphans of the Knights of Labor, killed in the explosion.

Several witnesses were examined, including Mr. Bryden, manager Wellington collieries; Mr. Scott, overman of Wellington, and Mr. Wm. McGregor, manager of V. C. Co.'s colliery.

At 9:30 p.m. the last witness was examined, when Coroner Walkem summed up at considerable length, pointing out to the jury all the material facts as elicited during the enquiry. He animadverted very strongly on the character of some of the evidence given by some of the witnesses which he said consisted of prevarication and a seeming disposition to conceal facts which they, the witnesses, considered as having a very material bearing on the case. He impressed upon the jury the great gravity of the responsibility which rested upon their shoulders, and expressed the hope that in arriving at a verdict they would be guided by facts alone and those facts as obtained from the witness box. The definition of negligence was also explained in its relation to the enquiry. The summing up consumed about three-quarters of an hour. It was very impartial, and from what we have learned from those who were present a very clear and concise one.

The jury retired at 10:15 p. m., and returned with a verdict at about 2,30 a.m. The verdict as brought into court was as given below with the exception of that clause which we have placed in brackets. On rendering the verdict Coroner Walkem said: "Mr. Foreman, as the verdict now stands you impute negligence and should I receive that verdict, as I am in duty bound to do, I must in the course of my duty see that the force of your reference to mismanagement is carried into effect. Am I to understand that criminal negligence is implied?"

Foreman—"No, Mr. Coroner; there is an omission on our part to insert a clause to the effect that we do not impute any negligence."

Coroner Walkem—"Then I must ask you to insert the clause which I understand you to state has been omitted."

The clause in brackets was then inserted.

The coroner, in discharging the jury, thanked them for their attendance, for the patient and careful manner in which they had listened to and examined the various witnesses as they were placed on the stand, and also for the very kind reference which they had made to his own conduct of the enquiry.

THE VERDICT.

"We find that John Linn came to his death on the 3rd day of May, at the foot of No. 1 shaft, in the city and district of Nanaimo, and province of British Columbia, from the effects of afterdamp caused by an explosion, and that the said explosion was caused by the firing of an unprepared and badly planted shot in the face of the diagonal slope, thereby igniting what gas had accumulated or was circulating in the air in its immediate vicinity and intensified by the addition of coal dust.

"That a large volume of air was introduced into the mine, but that inasmuch as inflammable gas could generally be found on the roof in some high places, the distribution of the air was faulty in those high places.

"That in view of the fact of its being an acknowledged dry and dusty mine and that coal dust is a recognized factor in colliery explosions we submit that necessary precautions have not been observed for minimizing the probabilities of a catastrophe.

["In rendering the above verdict we wish it to be distinctly understood that we do not wish to attribute any criminal negligence to any body."]

"We hold it our duty to assist in trying to prevent a recurrence of such a disaster as we have had under our consideration, and would suggest the system of appointment now in use respecting the inspector of mines and firemen be abolished, as it is fraught with evil. We wish it to be understood that in speaking thus we refer to only the manner or system of appointment and not as conveying any reflection upon the present inspector of mines.

"In our opinion all firemen should have passed a board of examination, qualifying themselves for their responsible positions, said board to consist of the managers and mines' inspector of the different collieries in the district. When passed they become eligible to election—electors to be the men whose lives would in a measure be in the hands of the elected. We believe the above plan would be productive of harmony between employers and employes.

"That the men holding the highly important positions of inspector and firemen should be well paid for their grave responsibilities, their duties sharply defined, and held accountable for their shortcomings.

"That a force be detailed for a daily examination of all the old workings, and all the coal filled from the face.

"We wish to congratulate you, Mr. Coroner, upon the able, impartial and very courteous manner in which you have presided at this inquest, and we desire to endorse every action you have taken in the matter.

"We would strongly recommend that the government remunerate you in a more generous manner than by the ordinary fee allowed for inquests. You are, we think, justly and fairly entitled to it."

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

QUEBEC.

It is stated on good authority that two contested elections in Three Rivers, those of Sir Hector Langevin and Hon. Mr. Turcotte, will be dropped. The contestations of the seats held by Trudel, in Champlain, and Duplessis, in St. Maurice, are abandoned.

Maguire, editor of the Quebec *Mercury*, who was sentenced two months ago to six months in jail for libel, has been released by the federal government because of threatened consumption.

Considerable excitement exists in Swanton, a town six miles from the line of the Central Vermont railway in consequence of the finding of the body of a man named Joseph Shadly, who is supposed to have been murdered. The police think they know the murderers.

A special cablegram was received at Montreal Saturday, announcing that the privy council in England had dismissed the petition of the defendant in the celebrated case of Langtry vs. Dumoulin, with costs. This confirms the findings of the courts here and establishes the right of various rectors to participate in income derivable from St. James' rectory lands.

The traffic receipts of the Canadian Pacific for the week ending the fourteenth were $249,000, an increase of 42,000 compared with the same week last year.

Manitoba's new loan of $1,000,000 has been negotiated with A. T. Drummond of Montreal, who has taken it for a London syndicate.

ONTARIO.

The Toronto Ministerial association adopted resolutions against the proposal to run street cars on Sunday on the ground that they would be hurtful to religion and humanity.

While a royal salute was being fired at Goderich a cannon exploded prematurely and a ramrod was sent through the body of James Butts, killing him instantly and pinning his body to the ground. Gunners Perrington and Parker were severely burned by the same explosion.

While a party of volunteers were returning from London, to the camp ground at night, they heard shots fired in a house close to the street and halted to await developments. Suddenly a man, named Charles Stephenson, ran out with a large butcher knife and ordered them away. On their refusing, he stabbed Ralph Shaw, a private of the 24th regiment (Chatham) in the side, from the effects of which he died two hours later.

MANITOBA.

Miss Ida Armstrong, aged fourteen, daughter of R. S. Armstrong, miller, was drowned in the mill dam at Rapid City.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

Although the police authorities have not received information, there seems to be no doubt that Graham and Bell, two horse traders belonging to Moose Jaw, were murdered two weeks ago by Crow Indians on the Crow reserve, Montana, where the former were trading.

A VERY fine view of the city taken from the top of government buildings on sale at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s. *

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THE CAUSE OF THE EXPLOSION.

The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Nanaimo disaster is one which will be read with a great degree of interest. They find that the explosion was caused by the firing of an unprepared and badly planted shot in the face of the diagonal slope, causing the ignition of whatever gas had accumulated or was circulating in the air in its immediate vicinity intensified by the addition of coal dust. They also find that a large volume of air was introduced into the mine, but that as inflammable gas could generally be found on the roof in some high places the distribution of the air was in some places faulty. The jury submit that in view of the fact that the mine is an acknowledged dry and dusty one and that coal dust is a recognized factor in colliery explosions, proper precautions were not taken for minimizing the probabilities of a catastrophe. Criminal negligence is not, however, attributed to any one and some valuable suggestions are made. It would be well for the authorities to seriously consider these and to canvas their utility. Many, if not all, seem to us to show a high degree of wisdom and discretion on the part of the jury, and undoubtedly they will be acted upon in so far as may seem fit. Where so many valuable lives are in daily peril, it would seem that no precautions were too great—that too much could not be done to throw around them all the safeguards possible. The idea that firemen should pass examinations qualifying themselves for their responsible positions is a particularly apt one and worthy of the most serious consideration. Coroner Walkem deserves to be congratulated on the able manner in which he has discharged his his duties, though judging by their deliverance, he had the assistance of a clear-headed and particularly intelligent jury.

THE SESSION.

Our legislators who have been cooped up in Ottawa at this untimely season of the year will be glad that their labors are completed. No great features distinctively mark out the past session as particularly remarkable, the tariff changes and especially the duty on iron being the most important. On the whole, though, it may be said that the administration showed a characteristic desire to promote the very best interests of the Dominion as a whole. The government comes out of the fight with a fine majority, which promises to greatly increase before their term of office has expired. The opposition on the other hand is in a state of thorough demoralization, and never perhaps was weaker in ability and power than it is now. Consequent on Mr. Blake's retirement from the leadership no man can be found to fill that position; the only two who are put forward prominently at all being Mr. Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright. Neither of these can ever successfully lead a party, the apostle of the Rielites with his Saskatchewan musket on his shoulder being the *bete noir* of the Ontario members and the sad knight of deficits being personally most unpopular. It is just possible that a compromise may be struck on philosopher Mills and in that event the conservative party would be in a position to crow lustily. However it be, the present administration is ensured a long lease of power. Whether at the end of five years that lease is renewed depends upon the will of the people and it behooves the government to give good heed to their counsel. British Columbia is loyal to the liberal conservative party, but she is not so hidebound in partyism as to lick the hand that smites her, and unless some measure of justice, very much greater than she has received during the past session is, meted out to her, it may be found that she has broken away from the old and pleasant ties which bound her in the past. Our representatives have been untiring in their efforts to secure for British Columbia, and especially for this city, a proper place on the estimates, and no blame can be attached to them that this has not been done. The responsibility must be traced where it rightly belongs—to the government.

THE MODERN NEWSPAPER.

The chief function of the newspaper is to collect news and present it to its patrons in readable shape. Outside of and beyond this there have been superadded other functions, largely critical, but the real purpose of the newspaper is embraced in its name. With this understanding of the true intent of the newspaper, it necessarily follows that to be in any measure successful its chief aim and object must be, and is, to tell the truth about current events, and about persons, places and things. It will be seen at once that any other course would be fatal to a journal whose success, if it has any, depends exclusively upon its quality of veracity. Any other policy than that of truth-telling, as to matters of fact, would be suicidal, for loss of confidence in the veracity of a newspaper is simply death to the paper and ruin to its proprietors. But here a distinction must be noted which is too often lost sight of by those who inveigh against newspapers for their lack of accuracy. It is this: In every newspaper of enterprise and life there is a constant, urgent struggle to compass omniscience, but the success can, at best, be but partial. There is no magic power of the press by which events are known at once upon their occurrence, nor do invisible and occult wires of spiritual telegraphs center at the editor's desk. The newspaper must rely for its information upon the testimony of those who have seen or heard or been part of a given event, and too often the stories are not told under the sanction of an oath, nor, indeed, with regard to accuracy. The newspaper must tell the story as it was told to them, and the reading public would not be content to wait for the slow process of verification before being put in possession of at least the leading points of a thrilling or interesting story. Nor are the inevitable mistakes of the newspaper always the fault of those who have furnished the information. It is apparent that the matters of interest to readers are those things which are out of the ordinary run of affairs. The normal has no charm for them; it is only the abnormal which interests them. Now, any development of an unusual or abnormal condition of things—a great fire, a railroad collision, and earthquake, everything in fact, which excites unusual attention—tends very strongly to throw actors and spectators off their balance, and to centre their ideas and observations upon a very small portion of the canvas spread before them. Just as in a battle, no individual sees anything beyond his immediate surroundings, so in a catastrophe of any kind, each actor sees only what concerns himself the most. Consequently there will be quite as many different accounts of the same occurrence, dependent upon the mental condition of the spectator or actor and his point of view, as there are narrators, and some of them apparently irreconcilable. And yet these discrepancies detract nothing from the truth of the main features of the event. Indeed, they are better internal evidence of the truth than if they harmonized exactly. It is perfectly well known that no two or three persons can give precisely the same account of anything they may have seen, if the object of their gaze were at all complex. So well is this known that it has passed into an axiom among judges and lawyers that if the stories of two or three witnesses exactly agree on details the testimony has been fabricated. Where men are telling the truth, even under oath, their separate stories, while agreeing in the main, will always differ upon minor points and sometimes very widely. Applying these principles to the newspaper, that is, to the printed account of any notable event or occurrence, we find this: That the paper is desirous of being entirely truthful and accurate, but it is prevented by the want of veracity in its informant, or the inability of the narrator to tell a a straight story, or his limited knowledge of the facts, or by the difficulty in reconciling numerous statements of the same thing, all well intended but widely different. Can it be wondered at that a daily paper sometimes makes mistakes of fact? Is it not surprising that it comes as near being accurate as it does? Quite recently, Robert Collyer, while saying, with entire truth, that the press is an everlasting standing committee of inquiry and investigation, felt constrained to add that it sometimes substituted what was pungent for what was true, to sell their news. Mr. Collyer lost sight of a very important distinction, which is the difference between a fact and the mode of stating it. No newspaper deserving of the name ever adopts a pungent remark in place of a statement of fact; but it does, and should, state its facts in a pungent and striking manner. Given a basis of truth, it would be very silly to state that truth in a bald, uninteresting way, if it can be stated just as accurately in an attractive fashion. For example, when Lincoln was assassinated, there was the fact, in three words; but would Mr. Collyer object to have such a fact stated in a way that should be pungent and even startling? Newspapers do not substitute the pungent for the true, any more than a man substitutes mustard for corned beef. They only make a judicious mixture of the solid food of fact and the spice of display or comment, and the result suits the reader as neither would alone. This constant striving after the exact truth, this continual attempt at accuracy, has produced this effect, that it has immeasurably elevated the tone of the newspaper and increased its moral influence. It is no exaggeration to say that the influence of the press keeps more men in the right path and prevents more moral delinquency than any other instrumentality of the age. What those men fear who are hesitating on the verge of crime or fault, more especially such crimes as directly affect society and the social order, is not that the newspapers will lie about them and their misdeeds, but that they will tell the truth and the whole truth. They know that if they depart from the beaten path of rectitude and integrity the world is not wide enough to hide them, for the newspaper, if not omniscient, is omnipresent. No corps of detectives, however skillful or well-trained, does one tithe of the work of keeping the world informed of the movements of the dangerous classes that the newspapers do. No police regulations, no rogue's gallery, is so effective in putting people on their guard against criminals as is the daily press. Theirs is an eye that never closes, a vigilance that never slumbers and a persistence that knows no fatigue. But putting all other considerations aside, there is one thing that is conclusive proof of the accuracy and general veracity of newspapers, and that is the universal belief in what they say. It is true that many persons speak in a flippant and cavalier way of "newspaper lies," but it will be found that this is a mere figure of speech and that the very man who declaims in one breath against the want of veracity of a newspaper will quote in the next breath from the same paper a fact in which he fully believes and for which he is indebted to that same unveracious journal. The same man who will gloat over a detected inaccuracy in a single item will eagerly absorb all the rest of the paper without thinking of doubting or disbelieving it, and yet will cackle for a week over the one inaccuracy without giving any credit to the paper for the ninety-and-nine statements to which he takes no exception. The simple fact is that the bulk of our belief about current events is founded entirely upon the newspapers. We look to them for statements of fact, and accept their facts more willingly and with more belief in their truth than even human testimony. It takes a very strong array of evidence to stand against a statement of fact made in a newspaper. The reason is this: That people generally know that a newspaper statement is a summary of all the best and most reliable testimony that can be obtained, and that the only object of the newspaper is to present the facts as they exist, whereas other testimony is more than apt to be colored by interest or feeling and to be inaccurate for that reason. Of the great and noble work which the press has accomplished, there is little need to speak, suffice it to say that there is no such merciless exposer of shams and humbugs, no such caustic critic of moral or social delinquents, no such skilled and patient unraveler of the web of crime and guilt as the newspaper. From the press no upright, honorable person has aught to fear, but where a cunning rascal covers his guilt with a cloak of sanctity, where a time-server and self-seeker masquerades as a patriot and friend of the people; where crime seeks to conceal its revolting appearance under the guise of charity and benevolence, and where vice attempts to wear the livery of virtue, the press assumes its rightful position as the conservator of public morals and guardian of popular rights, tears away the thin disguise and shows the moral lepers in all their loathsome hideousness and deformity.

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" 10.15	" 4.15		COBBLE HILL	4.00	10.00
" 10.25	" 4.25		McPHERSON'S	3.45	9.45
" 10.30	" 4.30		KOKSILAH	3.35	9.35
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The jubilee celebration Tuesday in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of Her Majesty's accession to the throne, was ushered in by a delightful day, an immense crowd, beautiful decorations and a splendid military display, forming one of the most loyal and enthusiastic events ever known in Victoria. The whole city was in holiday attire, and early in the morning a scene of activity prevailed upon the thronged streets, which predicted the immense concourse of people that afterward gathered on Beacon hill. The decorations on many buildings were elaborate and some of them beautiful and novel in design, though the city was not as profusely decorated as might have been expected by the thousands of visitors from across the Sound and from the mainland. The roads leading into the city were lined with vehicles of every description occupied by visitors from the rural districts, and gaily decorated carriages passed rapidly along the main thoroughfares to Beacon hill. By 10 o'clock fully

TEN THOUSAND PEOPLE

were assembled on the brow of the hill or scattered through the woods, where innumerable picnic parties enjoyed this delightful refuge from the burning sun, in broad shady vistas beneath the grand old trees. Others who never tire of viewing the magnificent scenery, feasted their eyes on an elysium of nature's fairest phases. The atmosphere was unusually clear, and through the transparent film across the straits, the grand snow-capped peaks of the Olympian range formed an indescribable picture of loveliness, while below the timber line pretty shadows of crimson, amber and amythest were reflected up to the glistening snow. Calm and blue as the clear sky reflected in their depths, the waters of the straits presented a study upon which the eye could gaze for hours without satiety. Many availed themselves of the morning hours to visit the beach, where the gentle swell made a music as sweet as it was indefinable. Mount Baker shone with a grandeur irrepressibly charming, and many strangers for the nonce forgot the occasion of their visit in the contemplation of this majestic mountain, which is nature's majesty and never fails to elicit admiration and rapture from every lover of all that is grand, pure, æsthetic and beautiful in nature.

There may be other colonies where subjects paid homage to their Queen yesterday with more pomp and greater ceremony, yet it must be conceded that British Columbia has given a loyal, heartfelt demonstration which, if witnessed by Her Majesty, would cause a thrill of joyous pride for the enthusiasm and

LOVE SHOWN TO HER MEMORY.

Not only was this sentiment observed among the civilians, but among the officers and men of Her Majesty's navy, who were indefatigable in their efforts to pay a fitting tribute to the memory of the Queen in her fiftieth year of accession to the throne of the grandest nation on the globe. The parade grounds were outlined by flags placed at intervals around a large square inclosed on one side by a rope to keep back the throng of spectators, and long before the arrival of the military every available point of observation was taken. Considerable interest was manifested in the yacht race, and a large number of spectators visited the outer wharf or secured positions along the shore to watch the gayly decked boats as they sped along the course. At 11:30 the forces from Esquimalt arrived in H. M. S. boats and disembarked at McDonald's point where they bivouacked and partook of luncheon. After an hour's rest they formed in line and marched towards Beacon hill, and as the approaching troops came in view the great concourse of people on the hill moved forward in one dense mass in anticipation of the pleasure their arrival would give. There were about four hundred and fifty officers and men in the command, and as they entered the parade grounds showing

SPLENDID MILITARY DISCIPLINE,

a shout of welcome went forth to the brave defenders of the Queen. The command marched along the west side of the grounds amid hearty applause and fronted into line, after which they were joined by the militia on the left. It was a most entertaining sight to look along the line and observe so many men of intelligence and soldierly bearing, conveying to the mind a feeling of respect and proud admiration for England's defenders, the bravest, and most loyal troops in the world. What must be the heart promptings of the Queen at such demonstrations of concession to her power! It awakens an echoing love from every heart to know that she would give her life to perpetuate England to her subjects, with the same sacrificing spirit that her defenders would risk all to gain a victory for their Queen, and protect the peace, prosperity and homes of England and the colonies.

VOLUNTEER BATTALION.

At 1 o'clock the three batteries of the B. C. Garrison Artillery, the Victoria Rifle company and the rifles from New Westminster, assembled at the drill shed. The New Westminster men were "the observed of all observers" and too great praise cannot be given them for their steadiness and the completeness of their parade. In this latter particular they threw all the local corps into the shade, for the artillery mustered so few that the three batteries had to be merged into two and the rifle company had scarcely four complete sections of fours. The battalion was in command of Lt.-Col. Wolfenden and Major Prior.

No. 1 Company, Capts. Jones, Shears and Lieut. Irving.

No. 2 Company, Capts. Smallfield, Nicholles and Lieut. Robson.

No. 3 Company (rifles) Capts. Fletcher and Wollocott.

No. 4 Company (Westminster) Capts. Peele and Scoullar, Lieut. Doane and Capt. Worstnot of the 90th battalion. The battalion having been formed into column marched to Beacon Hill and took up its position on the extreme left of the line. There were present, rank and file about 125 men.

THE NAVAL BRIGADE.

The brigade of blue jackets and marines was commanded as follows:

In command, Captain Henry Rose; A.D.C., Mr. Edward A. Baird, midshipman, H.M.S. Triumph.

Battalion leader, commander, Francis C. B. B. Simpson; A.D.C., Mr. Malcolm T. Pasley; right leader, Lieut. John Gibbings; left leader, Lieut. Scott W. A. H. Gray; officer instructor, Lieut. Thomas H. Fisher; A.D.C., Mr. George E. B. Hand, midshipman.

No. 1 Company—Lieut. David E. P. Carmichael; Mr. Edward Reeves, Mr. Ernest R. Hamilton, midshipmen.

No. 2 Company—Sub-Lieut. Henry F. Oliver; Mr. Henry W. Grant, Mr. William S. Lambert, midshipmen.

No. 3 Company—Sub-Lieut. Henry J. W. Nevile; Mr. Robert D. Jeffreys, Mr. Arthur Halsey, midshipmen, of H.M.S. Triumph.

No. 4 Company—Lieut. John Martin; Sub-Lieut. Charles Mure; Mr. Robert T. J. Noble, gunner, of H. M. S. Conquest.

No. 5 Company—Lieut. John D. M. Hutchison, of H. M. S. Caroline; Mr. Herbert A. Child, Mr. William B. Macdonald, midshipmen, of H. M. S. Triumph.

No. 6 Company—Lieut. Edmund R. Pears; Mr. Thos. Willard, gunner, H.M.S. Cormorant; Mr. Geo. A. Kirk, midshipman, H.M.S. Triumph.

Marines—No. 1 Company—Major Robert B. Kirchhoffer, R.M.L.I., of H.M.S. Triumph.

No. 2 Company—Lieut. Chas. Clarke, R.M.L.I., of H.M.S. Conquest.

FIELD BATTERY.

Battery Leader, Lieut. Lewis D. Sampson, of H.M.S. Caroline.

First Division Leader, Sub-Lieut. Francis F. Haworth-Booth, of H M. S. Caroline.

Second Division Leader, Sub-Lieut. Percy S. St. John, of H.M.S. Cormorant.

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MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Fleet Surgeon Thomas Bolster, of H. M.S. Triumph.

Staff Surgeon Albert C. Queely, of H. M.S. Conquest.

Surgeon Frederick A. Trevan, of H.M. S. Triumph.

The number of officers and men composing the brigade was as follows:—H. M. S. Triumph, 259; H. M. S. Conquest, 133; H.M.S. Caroline, 89; H.M.S. Cormorant, 83. Total naval brigade, 564. Volunteer brigade, 125. Total on parade, 689.

THE FEU DE JOIE.

The forces were drawn up in line near the race track and facing Beacon hill at 2 o'clock. Upon the arrival of Admiral Sir Michael Culme Seymour Bart and staff they were received with a general salute. The following officers were on the staff: Capt. Rose, R. N., Col. Holmes, D.A.G., Lieut. Lang, R. E., and Lieut. Garforth, R. N.

The ranks having been opened a *feu de joie* was fired. The field guns of the naval brigade on the extreme right having fired seven rounds, the fire was taken up by the front rank and ran down the entire length of the line and up the rear rank like a flash. A second and a third time the same running fire was given, and each time with a promptness and steadiness on the part of the colonial troops that was exceedingly gratifying to the officers.

ROYAL SALUTE.

The next incident was the royal salute, and as one looked at the long line of soldiers with their arms at the present and listened to the time honored strains of the grand old national anthem, he must indeed have been a cold hearted individual who did not feel himself warm with loyal pride for his Queen, his country, and its defenders. Immediately after the salute the ranks were closed and Admiral Sir M. Culme Seymour called for three cheers for Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria. The commanding officer having repeated the order the entire force with caps and helmets cutting circles in the air gave three such hearty cheers as only British soldiers can give.

THE MARCH PAST.

The brigades were then formed in quarter column and wheeled round to the saluting base. These preliminary movements were executed in very good form by both brigades. The order to march past in column having been given, the companies in succession stepped off to the tune of "Nancy Lee," played by the magnificent band of H. M. S. Triumph, under the lead of Prof. Agius. To watch company after company as straight as possible, go past the saluting point with a swinging stride as even as clock work, was a sight that will not be soon forgotten by those who were privileged to see it. After wheeling round, first went the battery of field guns, next the blue jackets, and the royal marine light infantry; then the B. C. garrison artillery followed by the Victoria rifle company and the New Westminster rifles in the order named. Having wheeled round the third and fourth points the order "line to right on the rear companies" brought the troops back to their original ground.

THE BATTERY EXERCISES.

While the remainder of the line was allowed to stand at ease, the field guns under command of L. D. Sampson were brought into action. This was pre-eminently the *piece de resistance* of the entire review, and called forth round after round of applause from the thousands of spectators who lined the slopes of the hill. With an agility at once bewildering and surprising on the order "retire" being given to the battery as it advanced, what was the most perfect of order suddenly changed into seemingly inextricable confusion as the nimble crews swept round at the double, bringing guns and limbers after them as though made of tin; and presently the guns were going in the opposite direction, once more in perfect order. But what was more astonishing was the almost incredible shortness of the time in which, on the supposed disablement of the gun carriage, the gun was dismounted, the carriage taken to pieces and guns, wheels, carriages and everything piled on the gun limber and safely carted to the rear. However improbable it may seem, it is nevertheless true, that the whole of these complicated and laborious operations were performed in less time than it takes to write them.

THE CUTLASS EXERCISES.

The guns having been taken to the rear, the brigade of blue-jackets were formed up with intervals and were put through the cutlass exercises by Lieut. T. H. Fisher. This drill must be seen to be appreciated; but coming as it did after the brilliant performances of the artillery, it was somewhat overshadowed in the popular mind, and did not receive the applause to which it was entitled. The cutlass in the hands of the British tar has won for itself a name in the annals of history and in "Jack's" handling of it Britain owes much of her naval glory. No better opportunity of judging of the deadliness of this weapon, when wielded by brawny arms at close quarters, could be had than that afforded by the blue-jackets yesterday. The ease with which the cuts and guards were done with the cutlass in the left hand demonstrated that the men were as perfectly, "at home" as with the right.

THE BAYONET EXERCISES.

The Royal Marines, under command of Major R. B. Kirchhoffer, R. M. L. I., were then marched to the front, and being opened at intervals went through the bayonet exercises. The same remark as regards popular appreciation as that made in the previous paragraph may be made with reference to this exercise also. The precision with which the two companies executed the various movements of "guard," "point," "low guard," "high guard," "head parry," etc., etc., to right and left, and right about, was quite remarkable. The perfection with which the entire command moved together could be plainly seen, particularly as the points of the bayonets in "point" from "high guard" rose in the air at the same instant. This finished the exercises by the naval brigade.

MANUAL EXERCISES.

The volunteers were next put through the manual exercises by Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden. This was not so brilliant a performance as those allotted to the navy, but the volunteers acquitted themselves of their part in a most satisfactory manner. To expect volunteers to display all the steadiness of thoroughly drilled troops is the height of the ridiculous, particularly as their chances for brigade and battalion drill are most limited.

THE SHAM FIGHT.

The column having been again formed the troops were marched off to take up their positions for the event of the day—the long-looked for sham-fight. A company of seamen, under Commander Simpson, together with the Victoria rifles under Capt. Wollacott marched to the summit of the hill and took up their position in the trenches to defend the three guns which were mounted there. The rest marched down to the foot of Cook street and took up their position in rear of the woods. After a short pause a signal gun was fired and the leading companies of each half battalion were thrown out as a fighting line, the remainder acting as supports and reserves and began the advance and opened fire on the hill. As the lines worked their way through the woods a sharp fire was kept up on them from the three guns on the hill and by a line of skirmishers which had been thrown out in advance of the works. As the attacking force cleared the woods a determined stand was made by the defending force and volley after volley was exchanged in rapid succession, the field guns of the naval brigade keeping up a steady roar so admirably were they served.

THE ASSAULT.

The defenders were closely pressed, and the volunteers having driven them out of the clump of trees on the right of their line they were forced to retire and take refuge in the entrenched position on the hill. Across the open and up to the foot of the hill the invaders gradually forced their way, when an imaginary charge of the defender's cavalry being about to take place rallying squares were formed and several volleys having been poured into the cavalry the attack was supposed to be driven off. The fighting line was again thrown out, but owing to the hotness of the fire from the defences it was found necessary to bring up reinforcements to the line. This having been done an advance was made to the brow of the hill where an order for independent firing was given, and close running fire was kept up for about ten minutes. So quickly are the Martini rifles loaded the naval brigade was enabled to keep a continual blaze along their lines, but the volunteers having the Snider rifles could not keep up with them.

THE CHARGE.

The position having been thoroughly peppered with lead the order to charge was given, and in spite of the sweltering heat of both the sun and the hot rifles the troops sprang to their feet and with a cheer closed on the enemy with a rush. Their last position having been forced the defenders were supposed to spring mines and under cover of the suppositious smoke made good their retreat down the other side of the hill and capitulated unconditionally.

NOTES.

The want of water amongst the volunteers was keenly felt during the afternoon on account of the scorching heat, which was so great that one man dropped in a faint, and if the exposure to the sun's rays on the southern slope of the hill had continued for half an hour longer there cannot be the slightest doubt but what many others would have succumbed. Every man in the naval brigade had his water-flask, while not the slightest provision was made to give volunteers unaccustomed to so great a strain even a drop to quench their thirst.

The volunteer who was overcome by the heat was kindly taken charge of by the ambulance from the navy, that in connection with the volunteers being somewhere else.

A most unfortunate mistake occurred in the arrangements to give the troops some refreshment after the day's work. The officers of the militia were given to understand that ample provisions would be made for the volunteers as well as the naval brigade at the agricultural hall, but when the force marched down to the hall they were told that the refreshments were for the naval only. While glad to see that some little attention was shown the navy, it is too bad that the men from New Westminster were treated in such a manner.

Many desperate attempts to get water were made by the volunteers, some scrambling around pumps for at least twenty minutes without being successful. Numerous drinks were begged from the marines and the blue jackets who were always good hearted enough to hand over their canteens even if it was their last drop.

By their actions to-day the people of British Columbia know that in their volunteers they have a force which is ready to do their duty faithfully if ever called on to fight in defence of their country. Although not so thoroughly drilled as might be wished, still the men are capable and willing. Capt. Rose, through Lt.-Col. Wolfenden, conveyed to the men his admiration of their conduct and soldier-like bearing.

A blue jacket was severely burned about the face and right arm yesterday by the premature discharge of a canon during the sham battle.

Several people were overcome by the intense heat and two or three fainted. In the artillery ranks one young man actually fell down in a faint, presumably from sheer exhaustion, and was carried from the scene.

There was considerable excitement over the boat-race from Behren's Island lighthouse round east Brotchie Ledge buoy, thence to Albert Head; returning around Brotchie Ledge buoy to Behren's lighthouse. The following crafts started in the race at 10 o'clock: Albatross, Eva, Mary, Ada, Frolic, Scud, Bertha, Lightning and Teal.

A light, steady breeze was blowing at the start, and a closely contested race was anticipated by the spectators. There was some error, however, about the location of the turning boat, which marred the race. The Frolic and Bertha steered straight for the stakeboat, and as the other boats steered for Albert Head they were practically beaten ere half the course was sailed. The Frolic came in first, the Bertha second. The silver cup was awarded to the Frolic.

Illumination of the Fleet.

In spite of the slight announcement as to the sailing of steamers, there was a large crowd at the wharves to take passage to Esquimalt at 7 last evening. The steamers R. P. Rithet, Yosemite and Amelia were crowded with passengers, and the Olympian and Evangel each took their passengers down to see the event. The steamers Daisy and Saturna also had a number of passengers. Many went down in carriages and omnibusses, and the bay was alive with small boats. The excursion of the Island railway was well patronized and a splendid view was obtained from the cars. The presence of so many vessels in Esquimalt, their lights glimmering from all directions, bands playing and choruses singing, tended to make the scene one of great attraction. The four war vessels were placed so that the flagship Triumph was in the centre, and the Cormorant, Conquest and Caroline in a semi-circle inshore. As each steamer with its freight arrived a circle of the warships was made amid the cheers of the blue-jackets and music of the bands. The vessels then came to anchor at some convenient point. At the firing of the

NINE O'CLOCK GUN

preparations were made on each of the war vessels for stringing the Chinese lanterns. After the lapse of fifteen minutes a line of lights were extended on each ship from the bows-sprit to the foremast, thence to the mainmast and to the mizzen-mast, and down to the stern. This made a complete outline of the vessel in pretty lights, and the four ships dressed thus, swinging into different positions with the tide, presented a most enchanting picture, and the display was applauded from every quarter of the harbor. After the lapse of some time a shrill whistle from the boatswain caused magnesium lights to be lit simultaneously in various parts of the rigging on each of the vessels while electric lights shown from the mastheads. The contrasting colors of the various lights made a most enchanting picture, and caused a loud cheer to go up, the steamer and railway whistles joining in the general acclamation. This was decidedly the

SUCCESS OF THE EVENING.

Rockets and Greek fire were sent up at intervals and variegated the effect. The last feature shown was that of the strong calcium lights, thrown from the Triumph and Caroline. It was amazing to watch the celerity with which these lights could be moved to any point of the compass, raised and lowered so as to distinguish objects on the water or land for miles. The experiments made were very interesting and proved the wonderful strength and value of the light.

During the progress of the illumination the splendid flagship band, the fife and drum bands of the other warships and the bands on the Yosemite, Olympian and Amelia, enlivened the evening with music, while occasionally male choruses from the war vessels would break out in sweet harmony. It was after eleven o'clock before the

ILLUMINATION WAS ENDED

and the steamers returned to the city. A device with mottos on four sides was hung from the yard of the flagship with appropriate words for the occasion.

Altogether the event was unique and interesting, and certainly the most enjoyable of the day's proceedings. Admiral Seymour and staff and everyone connected with last night's entertainment, are to be congratulated for the delightful event and the excellent way in which everything connected with it was carried out. Everyone was pleased and could not praise too highly the beauty of the scene.

SECOND DAY.

Another grand day of celebration was enjoyed by thousands of people at the regatta on Wednesday, which was conceded to be one of the most unique and successful events ever held in Victoria. Extensive preparations had been made for the transportation of pleasure-seekers from the city to the Gorge and at about ten o'clock the steamers, Saturna, Skidegate, Evangel and Lottie, towing barges for the accommodation of passengers, commenced to carry hundreds of people out of the city. The harbor presented a scene of activity and a gentle breeze dispelled the intense heat experienced on the previous day, at the same time assisting the various sailing crafts. It was a novel sight to watch the gaily decked boats passing up toward the arm. Canopy-topped skiffs containing family parties, steam launches from Esquimalt, large cutters crowded with marines and seamen, racing boats, Indian war canoes, and a great variety of sail boats were intermingled in one moving crowd of humanity along the placid waters of the arm. After leaving Deadman's island, along the banks on each side from Echo point to the Gorge were noticed picnic parties at intervals, and it is estimated that five hundred people watched the races from these points of vantage. The Arm adjacent to the Gorge presented a grand picture and thousands of merrymakers enjoyed the regatta from their boats, while the hill above the Gorge bridge was completely covered with spectators. Every convenience was afforded for a day of enjoyment, and the grounds about the Gorge hotel and the Victoria Gardens were crowded to their utmost capacity, while the surrounding woods were thronged with many who preferred the quiet seclusion, and rest, to the exciting scenes around the starting point of the races. The Triumph band discoursed splendid music near the committee boat, and the Blue Ribbon and Queen City band's were also present. Many prominent citizens and officers of the navy were on the committee boat and they were royally entertained. On the executive committee were His Worship Mayor Fell, Lieut. Dick, Lieut. Fisher, Lieut. Maunsell, Lieut. Hutcheson, Lieut. St. John, M. W. T. Drake, J. J. Austin, C. E. Pooley, A. J. Smith, W. Bennett, T. C. Jones, J. Braden, Supt. C. E. Bloomfield. The judges were Capt. Simpson, Capt. Broad, and C. E. Pooley, M. P. P. Starter, R. Broderick. Judge at Deadman's island, F. Payne. Treasurer, Thos. Russell, and honorable secretary, James D. Robinson. W. McNiffe and C. E. Redfern attended to the dispensation of refreshments.

THE RACES.

The regatta opened at 1 o'clock p.m., the first race being a naval skiff race; 1st prize $10, 2nd prize $7.50, and 3rd $5. Some difficulty was experienced by the boats as they proceeded along the course, as at various points it was fairly blockaded with pleasure boats and the large barges arriving with people from the city. After it was known, however, that the races had begun, more care was taken to keep the course clear, though great difficulty was experienced with the barges and tugs at the Gorge landing, which on one or two occasions, spoiled the races. The first race was won by the Lilly; Smut, second; Conquest, third. The second race for amateur's four-oared gigs was won by Dart No. 1, Gleam 2nd, Dart No. 2 third.

Much excitement was created among the seamen of the navy by the third race, twelve-oared cutters. First prize $40, second $20, which was won by the crew from the Triumph, the Cormorant second. The Triumph crew had held the championship until beaten recently by the Cormorant and in this race they reclaimed their former precedence.

The single scull race, first prize $15, second $10, between G. A. Richardson, W. Payne and A. Almanzia, was an easy victory for Payne.

The fifth race ten-oared cutters (seamen). First prize $33, second $16, was won by the Caroline crew, Conquest cutter No 2 second.

The sixth race, twelve-oared cutters (marines); first prize $40, second $20, was won by the Triumph cutter No. 1; Cormorant, 2nd.

Excellent sport was afforded by the Indian canoe race, 12 paddles; won by the Cowichan crew; Victoria 2nd.

The five-oared whalers for seamen followed. First prize $18, second $9; won by Cormorant crew; Conquest, 2nd.

The race for six-oared gigs and whalers, first prize $20, second $10, was won by Conquest gig No. 2; Triumph 2nd.

Much merriment was created by the klootchman race and great dexterity was shown with the paddles.

The twelve-oared cutters for stokers and mechanics; first prize $40, second $20, was carried off by the Triumph; Cormorant, 2nd.

Considerable excitement was created by the swimming match; won by H. Stroude; second, J. Simmons.

There were a large number of contestants for the greasy pole; first prize $5, second a $5 hat; second attempt, a pig in a basket. Morgan, of the Triumph, won the first prize; Roper the second, and in the second attempt Reed won the pig.

EVENING ILLUMINATION.

At the conclusion of the regatta programme, many of the people in boats proceeded to various points on the shady banks along the Arm, to partake of tea, while others returned to town to dine. As it grew dark rockets and fire-crackers were let off at intervals, adding greatly to the already pretty effect. About nine o'clock the picnicers began to string lanterns on their boats, which half an hour later emerged from the coves to join the procession. The scene was a perfectly grand one and many strangers expressed themselves as highly delighted. The Gorge bridge was brilliantly illuminated with handsome Japanese lanterns, which were hung from the arches. Point Ellice bridge also presented a fine picture, but owing to its size only the centre arches were lighted up. At ten o'clock one of the steam launches took the long procession of boats in tow and a start was made for town. The band of H. M. S. Triumph, which was in a large scow, played many airs, the sailors singing, as only sailors can sing. Following were the people behind, and they joined the happy tars with a will. A party of ladies and gentlemen, under the leadership of Mr. J. J. Austin, sang many pretty airs, and discoursed the now popular jubilee anthem, "Awake oh Happy Nation," with great effect. Owing to the length of time which the launch occupied in coming down many boats were cast off at Echo Point, the parties rowing to town, which was reached shortly after 12 o'clock. Messrs. J. H. Turner, Capt. Irving, E. G. Prior, A. J. Smith, and D. R. Munro were applauded for their splendid preparations for the illuminations. The designs were furnished by Ex-Coun. Smith. The day will be remembered, and the entire jubilee celebrations in this city will be handed down to posterity. Victoria will benefit in many ways, by the enterprise it has shown, as people who live many thousand miles away were here, and have gone to their homes with the most favorable impressions of the city and its people. Yesterday the city presented a rather quiet appearance, a natural consequence, after all the gaities.

BASE BALL.

The match of base ball at Beacon hill in the morning between the Willamettes and Amities attracted a large crowd of people and considerable interest was manifested, especially by the jubilee visitors, who staked their coin on the visiting nine. The playing throughout the game was spirited, our boys making a strong effort for first place. It was soon seen, however, that they were no match for the Willamettes owing entirely to want of practise, who won by 11 runs. Following is the complete score:

WILLAMETTES.

	R.	O.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Wills, s.s.	2	2	3	1	2	1
G. Parrott, 1 b	2	3	1	7	0	1
McCarthy, c.f	3	2	2	2	1	0
Tom Parrott, p	3	2	2	1	14	0
Bailey, 2 b	1	3	2	4	1	0
W. Parrott, 3b	1	4	1	2	0	0
Kerns, l.f	2	3	1	1	0	0
Smith, r.f	0	4	1	0	0	0
Turnbull, c	1	4	1	9	1	1
Total	15	27	14	27	19	3

AMITIES.

	R.	O.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Geo. Gowen, 2 b	2	2	2	4	3	0
Duck, l.f	0	4	0	1	0	0
N. Gowen, s.s	0	4	1	1	4	3
Hannan, r.f	0	4	0	2	1	0
Borthwick, c	1	3	0	10	3	4
Kuna, 1 b	0	3	1	6	0	3
Gus Gowen, p	1	2	1	0	7	3
Lang, r.f	0	3	0	0	0	2
Beck, 3 b	0	2	1	3	1	0
Total	4	27	6	27	19	15

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Willamettes	2	1	2	6	1	0	4	3	1	—15
Amities	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	— 4

SUMMARY.

Two base hits, Bailey, T. Parrott. Home run, Geo. Gowen. Hit by pitcher, Parrott 1. Passed balls, Wills 1, Borthwick 5. Struck out, Parrott 10, Gowen 5. Double play, Bailey. Time, 2.05. Umpire, T. H. Baker. Scorers, John Fee, J.W. Lysons.

NOTES.

As His Worship Mayor Fell and John Boyd were passing from the committee boat to the shore, a plank gave away, precipitating them into the water.

An interesting entertainment occurred on the committee boat not on the programme. Two local heavy weights enjoyed the recreation of a knock out.

Mr. Westley's yacht was moored close to the committee boat and was artistically decorated. A number of young ladies viewed the races from the deck.

Supt. Bloomfield had four of the city police officers on the grounds, and the provincial police was also represented.

During the evening several misunderstandings occurred, though no one was very badly harmed.

Although there was little wind in town during the day, off Cape Flattery and in the Gulf of Georgia a terrific gale was blowing. At the Gorge there was scarcely a ripple on the water.

The Japs who occupied Chas. Gabriel's boat had the greatest number of lanterns, and in the dark of the evening it presented a pretty sight. One of the Japs fell into the water, but was fished out without other injury than a salt water bath.

It is said that several of the hackmen will retire into a life of leisure and live in luxury upon the jubilee earnings.

An oriental appearance was given to the scene by the presence of numerous monster umbrellas among the boats.

The excursionists from the Olympian were towed up by the steam launch "Kid." They occupied eight boats, in four of which were Japanese paper parochutes of immense size.

Capt. Wilson, of the steamer North Pacific, is entitled to credit for having the the handsomest illumination of the holidays. Last night a row of various colored Japanese lanterns were strung from stem to stern, being carried from the bowsprit to the masthead and thence to the stern. It presented a lovely appearance and was admired by everyone. A fact that should also be noted in connection with it is that it was the only vessel illuminated in the harbor, and the American steamer lighted up the Douglas and other vessels, the most of which had only their anchor lights burning.

Capt. W. Gordon, manager Hamilton Powder company, erected a pretty decorated stand on his property on the Arm, where he entertained a number of his friends. It was about the most comfortable spot from which to view the events of the day. In the evening on the approach of the flotilla of illuminated boats the Captain sent off a lot of lovely fireworks and several balloons.

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that *Green's August Flower*, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of *August Flower* will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it. dw

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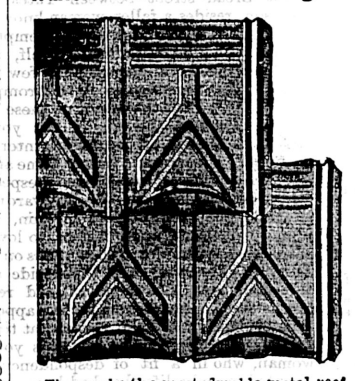

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PROGRAMME OF GAMES.

	Ent.	1st prize.	2nd prize.	3rd prize
1. Running High Jump	25c.	$ 4 00	$2 00	$
2. Running long jump	25c.	4 00	2 00	
3. Hop, step and jump	25c.	3 00	1 50	
4. Foot race, 3 miles	$1	15 00	7 50	
5. Foot race, for boys under 15, handicapped	free	2 50	1 50	1 00
6. Foot race for girls under 15, handicapped	free	2 50	1 50	1 00
7. Foot race for boys under 10, handicapped	free	2 50	1 50	1 00
8. Half mile race	50c.	7 00	5 00	
9. Half mile Navy race	free	5 00	2 50	
0. Foot race for girls under 10, handicapped	free	2 50	1 50	1 00
11. Tug of War, Navy vs. Civilians, 10 a side	free	10 00		
12. Hurdle race, 300 yds	50c.	5 00	2 50	
13. Throwing the heavy hammer	50c.	5 00	2 50	
14. Putting heavy shot	50c.	5 00	2 50	
15. One mile Navy race		10 00	5 00	
16. Sack race	25c.	4 00	2 00	
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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 26TH, 1887.

SHIPPING.

ENTERED.

Jun. 25.—Str. Geo. E. Starr, Pt. Townsend.
Str. Amelia, Nanaimo.
Str. Yosemite, Burrard Inlet.
Str. Mexico, Port Townsend.

CLEARED.

Jun. 25.—Str. Geo. E. Starr, Pt. Townsend.
Str. Yosemite, Burrard Inlet.
Str. Mexico, San Francisco.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. GEO. E. STARR from the Sound—G Simpson, Mrs Savage, Mrs D Morgan and 3 children, S Dielerson and wife, Mrs Hatchell, Campbell, Savage, Parkett, Dugdale, wife, dau and son, Chamberlain, Hunter, McGee, Cullen, Stoner, Boyd.

Per str YOSEMITE from Burrard Inlet—Rev Dr Burns, E J Bridges and wf, Mrs Pelly, R Collister, Morris Law, W Dufour, W Bentley, Misses McKenzie, W M Waller, Mr Hawks, Mr Andrews, Mrs Ewing.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. GEO. E. STARR from the Sound—T Dunn & Co, P McQuade & Son, Marvin & T, McLennan & McF, J Weller, A Bossi & Co, B C S & P Co, Angus & G, M W T Drake, Hall G & Co, Steitz Bros, J Levy, G T Corfield, Welch, R & Co, P R Kerr, W Prothers, J Gosnell.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE DRIARD—Miss Perry, Miss Green, Miss Macpherson, Miss Guthorlan, D H Gilman, Mrs J E Lightborn, Mrs Thorndyke, C M Sheafe, Thos Prusch and wife, Chas Pruch, Mr and Mrs Osgood, Mrs Kelly, Mrs Chapin, J Leary and wife, L P Dawson, W H Moore, J J Lichtenberg, S Baxter and wife, Mrs W H Jennings, Seattle; Rev H H Watson and wf, Dr J C Grasse and wf, R C Hill, Port Townsend; F P Spitz, San Francisco; F W Medera, Chicago; H H Sharp, Tacoma; Geo T Myers, Portland; R Natall, City; Chas Meyer, Jr., E W McLean, San Francisco; C J Brydges, M Aldons, Mrs C J Brydges, Winnipeg; F W Breed and wife, Mass; Mrs Alex Ewing, Hamilton; Wm Dugdale and wife, Miss Dugdale, Baltimore; F Hanford Partz, Mrs Morgan and 3 children.

BIRTHS.

HALL—At Chemainus on the 19th instant, the wife of Herbert Hall, of a son.

NICHOLLES—On Sunday, June 19th, the wife of J. Nicholles, of a daughter.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Going Down.

Advices from Yale say that the Fraser is receding.

Sully Coming.

Dan Sully of "Corner Grocery" fame will visit this city shortly with his comedy company.

A Strawberry Festival.

A strawberry festival will be held at the school-room of the First Presbyterian church on the evening of Tuesday, the 28th inst., at 8 p.m. A good programme is being prepared. Admission, including refreshments, 50 cents.

Basket Picnic.

The farmers of North and South Saanich will hold their annual basket picnic at Sandhill Creek on the 1st inst. The Queen City orchestra will be in attendance and all friends and visitors are invited to be present. A jubilee time is in store for all.

Settling Colonists.

Wm. Halpenny returned from Alberni yesterday morning, where he settled three parties. He reports everything looking well in that growing settlement, and is now ready to meet those desiring to secure his services as government guide.

Sailed North.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz sailed for Fort Simpson last evening with the following passengers: Messrs. Johnson, Draney, R. F. Dodd, Morgan, Inkster, S. Wootton, S.M., Mrs. McDowell, Miss McDowell, and Miss Knight, and R. K. McLachlan for Bella Coola.

The Charming Lily.

Mrs. Langtry will appear at the Baldwin theatre, San Francisco, to-morrow evening and will play for two weeks, after which she will go to Portland. It is just as likely as not that Victoria will be given the go-by, considering the shabby reception Rhea received here.

Excursion from the Sound.

The steamer Olympian arrived at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, with 654 passengers from Sound ports. They spent the afternoon in visiting the various points of interest in the city, and left again at seven for home. The Olympian was chartered by the management of Grace church, Seattle, for the occasion.

Caught in a Trap.

Yesterday morning, about 2 o'clock, John Woods, who resides on Johnson street, caught a lad named Alfred Collis in the act of stealing flowers from his garden. The young culprit was trapped by means of a bell connected with the gate by a string, which rang when the gate opened. Young Collis was delivered to the police and the case will come up for trial on Monday.

The Times' Libel Suit.

Yesterday morning an application was made by the Crown to appoint a day for the trial of the case of The Queen *vs.* McLagan. S. Perry Mills, for defendant, raised a point with regard to the jury law of the province. His lordship desired the point to be fully argued before he gave any decision, and it will be taken up for argument on Wednesday next, at 11 a.m.

A Daring Robbery.

On Thursday night Officer Campbell, of the provincial police, arrested a Chinaman named Youn at Esquimalt, charged with robbing John T. Howard, of the Esquimalt hotel, to the extent of $1000. Since Mr. Howard's illness the money, which consisted principally of gold coin, was kept in the bedroom instead of the safe. On the night of the 24th inst. the money was taken and suspicion at once pointed to the Chinaman. The prisoner was brought before the provincial court yesterday and the case remanded until Tuesday next.

The West Coast Murder.

J. A. Moore, baggage master on the Yosemite, corroborates the story about the murder on the west coast as told by Mr. McNerhaney to the Vancouver *News*. He says the vessels' name was the Seabird, that it sailed from Port Townsend for Alaska in May, 1886. The vessel never reached Albert bay, where his brother intended stopping, and he believes the story as told by an Indian to Mr. McNerhaney true. His father, Capt. Wm. Moore, has made four trips to Alaska since in an unsuccessful attempt to find news of the missing men. Tom, the Indian who threatened to get even with the white men for hanging his brother lives near Kinglet's Inlet, and it is believed the terrible deed was done there. Mr. Moore has no doubt that the entire crew, consisting of Capt. Wells, Henry Moore, pilot, Henry Bolt, seaman, and a German, name unknown, were all foully murdered. Moore has a wife and child n this city and Bolt has a family at iSeattle,

An Attempt to Suicide.

In one of the disreputable houses that infest Broad street between Yates and Johnson, resides a fallen woman known as Maude, who made a desperate attempt on Thursday night to poison herself, and death would have ensued in a few moments had not medical aid been promptly summoned. Like thousands of these unfortunate women the life of this young girl is a history of sorrowful interest, opening in a bright and happy home amid the surroundings of wealth and respectability, passing on from the waywardness of childhood to irretrievable ruin, and thence to shame and disgrace to loving parents who have closed their doors on the daughter who was once their pride and ambitious hope. As depraved and reckless as these outcasts from society appear, they evidently feel deep remorse at times as was evinced in the case of this young woman, who in a fit of despondency attempted to end a life that had become repulsive to the better instincts of her nature.

Protest.

It is stated that a protest has been entered by the men of No. 3 Battery against the number of points awarded them for their artillery practice on 22nd June. The men claim to have made 139 points as against 131 awarded them. It appears that in the second practice two points were deducted from Gunner Fleming's score for being over time with his three rounds. The time allowed was six minutes, and the time awarded six minutes and forty-five seconds, though the men claim by no less than four outsiders who timed them that the time actually taken was five minutes and fifteen seconds, or thereabouts. Also that in the second practice in Bomb. Winsby's score the men claim a direct hit, which counts six points, for his second shot with which he cut the flag from off the target and knocked some staves out of the barrel aimed at. This makes, in all, eight points, which the men claim that have not been awarded them. No. 3 Battery has for the last two years been considered the crack battery of British Columbia, and when the men go in for anything they go in to win, and only ask fair play.

Notable Dead.

Rev. Monsignor Power, Vicar-General of the Roman Catholic diocese of Halifax, died suddenly on Wednesday.

Change of Name.

Permission has been granted to change the name of the "Teaser" of Victoria, province of British Columbia, official number 88,370, to "Rainbow."

Fire at Revelstoke.

A telegram from Revelstoke (Farwell) states that "The block between Wright street and Benson street, on the north side of Columbia street, was destroyed by fire on the 24th. McGillivray's hotel, Berber's shop, Kerr & Co.'s store and small buildings. No particulars."

Bodies Recovered.

The bodies of the two boys drowned on Thursday afternoon in Pike lake were secured yesterday afternoon by a party sent with grappling hooks. They were found locked in each other's arms. The probability is that one fell in, and in attempting to save his companion the other was drowned. An inquest will be held.

Mortuary Statistics.

The monthly statement of the mortuary statistics shows the number and causes of deaths in Victoria during May as follows: two males of typhus, enteric or typhoid and simple contagious fevers; three males and three females, constitutional, eight males local and one male from violent deaths; in all, fourteen males and three females.

Death.

The wife of Mr. Geo. H. Risteen died yesterday morning at 88 McWilliam street. She was formerly of Kingston, N. B., and leaves a large family to mourn her loss. Two of her five sons are conductors on the C. P. R., and one is an engineer on the Northern Pacific.—*Winnipeg Sun.* She was the mother of Conductor Risteen, well and favorably known in this city.

Cricket.

A game was played yesterday at Beacon Hill between sides chosen by Messrs. Fennelly and Campbell, the former winning by a score of 94 to 58. For the winners P. D. Goepel played an excellent innings of 34 and J. Fennelly hit well for 25. On the losing side J. C. Bath contributed 18, H. Hett 16, and H. J. Campbell 15. The band of H. M. S. Triumph played during the afternoon.

An Unpleasant Surprise.

A well known gentleman of this city tied his horse and buggy in a stable not ten miles from the Driard House yesterday morning. On returning in the evening great was his surprise to find the buggy in a shattered condition and the horse dripping with foam. Upon making enquiries he learned that several small boys had frightened the horse, which broke its fastening and bolted. He ascertained the names of the lads and says he will make their parents foot the expenses in connection with repairs.

A Rough Country.

The following extract from a letter received from Tucson, Ariz., would indicate that that part of the world is not of the most attractive character:

"The town of Tucson is a perfect pest-house of small-pox, one-third of the population being more or less afflicted with the disease; and to finish up, we have the whole Apache tribe on the warpath. The whole country is lit up with their signal fires and they have already killed nine settlers for amusement. I think we are going to have a big time."

Picked Up in the Bay.

Chas. Taylor, a tinsmith by trade, was picked up in the bay by some Indians yesterday morning in front of Janion's wharf, in a drowning condition. A constable was sent for, who had him taken to the city gaol, where he was attended by Dr. Milne. He was unconscious until 10 o'clock, when he died. How Taylor fell into the water is a mystery, but it is assumed that he fell off the wharf in one of the fits to which he was subject at times. Deceased was a native of Manchester, Eng., and will be buried to-day under the auspices of the I. O. O. F.

A Chinaman Suicides.

A Chinaman at Vancouver hanged himself on Friday afternoon near the Chinese camp. The Chinaman had taken a cord, similar to what is used for bailing hay, tied one end to the branch of a maple tree, the other round his neck and jumped off a log on which he had made his preparations. The branch was small and the weight of his body broke it and allowed his feet to touch the ground. Not to be foiled in his attempt the Chinaman bent his knees so as not to weaken the strain, and died in that position. From the appearance of the body life must have been extinct for at least two days. He was rendered insane by smoking opium.

For San Francisco.

The steamship Mexico sailed at 6 p. m. for San Francisco, after the arrival of the Yosemite. The following passengers are on board from this city: Miss C. A. Gardner, Miss E. J. Gardner, Miss A.F. Gardner, Mrs. Banner, Mrs. Simlow, Mrs. Sayyea, Miss Moore, T. B. Birkbeck, J. F. Hawkes, A. L. Clark, John H. Dobbs, Stewart Brown and wife, T. C. Kennedy, Frank Higgins, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. A. Lewis, Miss Emma Eisenhauer, J. Johnson, S. Suam, W. Fisher, Mrs. Dr. West, N. Bichard, Joseph Pickard, N. Arthur, and Robert, Hewitt. The Yosemite brought brought fifteen passengers from the east for San Francisco.

The R. E. Church Fete.

The garden fête and strawberry festival on Lady Douglas' grounds yesterday afternoon proved a phenomenal success, notwithstanding the gloomy aspect of the weather and the counter attractions at the matinee and Beacon hill. Dancing on the lawn and games for the young people formed amusement of a decidedly lively nature. Ice cream, strawberries and cream, and refreshments of every description were provided, which all partook of with great relish. The music, which was excellent, was furnished by Messrs. Bernstein and Sharp. The gate and refreshment receipts amounted to a very considerable sum, and as the fête was so well attended the ladies of the church may be inclined to give another shortly.

Blue Ribbon Club.

A large number of ladies and gentlemen attended the temperance meeting held last evening. The chair was ably filled by President S. Gray, who opened the meeting with prayer. The following programme was given during the evening: "Rescue the Perishing," "Where is My Boy To-night?" Speech by the president; selection by the band; dialogue by Messrs. Tucker and Oram, of H. M. S. Triumph; speech by Mr. Rudge; solo, Miss Dobbs; reading, Mrs. Grant; selections by the band; song by Mr. Gray "Three Acres and a Cow," the audience joined in singing and gave the song rapturous applause. After an earnest appeal by the president for those who had not yet signed the pledge to do so, the programme closed by singing God Save the Queen.

Committed Suicide.

Jack Reynolds, a blacksmith in the C. P. R. shops at Yale, committed suicide on Thursday night by hanging himself.

Coming Attractions.

Lew Johnson's colored combination of inimitable minstrel exponents will appear at the Victoria on Tuesday evening, and those who enjoy genuine plantation melodies and excellent dancing should secure seats at Waitt's. This company is highly spoken of by the California press.

Theatrical.

Joseph Grismer and Phœbe Davies will not play the coast circuit this season, but have gone to New York where they will secure a company of artists to play the principal cities of the east. Grismer is said to have made over $15,000 on his last venture, which will swell his snug little fortune to $45,000.

Machinery for Farmers.

Nicholles & Renauf have shipped two car-loads of agricultural machinery to Spallumcheen, two to Fraser river settlements, one to east coast, and two car-loads are now on the way for distribution. This firm are also shipping machinery to Alaska. The shipments of so large an amount of machinery denotes the fact that the pursuit of agriculture in this province is constantly receiving gratifying additions.

The Opera Troupe.

The Pyke-Winston opera troupe closed a very successful season last night, by giving the "Chimes of Normandy." It was splendidly given, each of the principals winning favors. Miss Winston, as "Germaine," astonished the audience in the introduced song, "The Last Rose of Summer," it being given with great sweetness and correctness. Miss Manfred was a charming "Serpollette," while Mr. DeLange was a magnificent "Gaspard." The standard for years on this coast in this character was Arthur Bell, whose remarkable acting attracted universal admiration, yet the performance of Mr. DeLange last evening was conceded to be a better rendition of the part than Mr. Bell ever gave. The entire cast was excellent, and the performance one of the best ever given in this city. The company left for Vancouver and New Westminster this morning, where they appear during the coming week.

New Beacons.

The following announcement is made by the marine department:

Notice is hereby given that the following day-beacons, to more distinctly designate dangers in the waters of British Columbia, have lately been erected by the government of Canada:—

I. A wooden beacon on the middle of Fiddle reef, Mouatt channel, between Juan de Fuca and Haro straits.
Lat. N. 48° 25' 41"
Long. W. 123 17 30

The reef is awash at high water. The beacon consists of a whitewashed conical structure 40 feet high, surmounted by a pole and cage 10 feet high, painted black, making the whole beacon 50 feet high above the level of high water.

II. A wooden beacon on Zero Rock, Haro strait, near its centre.
Latitude N. 48° 31' 31"
Longitude W. 123 18 0

The rock is awash at high water. The beacon is pyramidal, 30 feet in height, surmounted by a pole and frame in the shape of an obelisk 20 feet high, making the whole height 50 feet. The structure is whitewashed.

III. A wooden beacon of the extreme N. W. end of Sydney Spit, which is a prolongation northwestward of Sydney Island, Sydney channel.
Latitude N. 48° 39' 28"
Longitude W. 123 21 10

The spit at the site rises 3 feet above high water mark. The beacon consists of a cone 40 feet high, surmounted by a pole and cage 10 feet high, making the whole structure 50 feet high. It is all whitewashed.

This notice affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 577 (part 1), 1191 (parts 1 and 2), 1917, 2689 and 2840.

CHURCH NOTICES.

The Coronation anthem will be repeated in the evening service at Christ church.

A song and gospel service will be held at 8:15 o'clock this evening in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Rev. Mr. Hill, pastor of the Baptist church, Eugene City, Oregon, will preach in the the Calvary Baptist church to-day at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Reformed Episcopal church services, morning and evening, at the usual hours of public worship. Rev. Dr. Reid will preach in the morning and Rev. Prof. Pollock, of Halifax, in the evening.

Services in the Pandora street Presbyterian church will be conducted at 11 o'clock a.m. by Rev. Dr. Burns, of Halifax, moderator of the general assembly; and at 7 o'clock p.m. by Rev. Dr. Archibald.

Rev. J. E. Starr will occupy the pulpit of the North Methodist church this morning, and in the evening will officiate in the Pandora street church. Rev. Chas. Ladner will conduct the services in the latter church at 11 a.m.

PERSONAL.

Wm. Charles condition has slightly improved.

D. R. Munro went to Vancouver this morning.

R. Collister returned from the Inlet last evening.

A. W. Ross, M.P., has left Ottawa for this province.

Alex. Begg, formerly of the Canadian Pacific railway, is *en route* to this province.

Capt. Irving went to Montreal this morning by way of the Canadian Pacific railway.

Senator Voorhees, who is a guest of the Driard, leaves for Alaska by the Olympian.

Dr. Bently and W. Dufour were passengers on the Yosemite last evening from Vancouver.

Geo. H. Markill, late bookkeeper at the graving dock, left for Kamloops this morning where he will take the position of bookkeeper for Mr. McGaw.

Rev. Dr. Burns, of Halifax, N. S., moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church of Canada, arrived on the Yosemite last evening and is a guest of Dr. A. McSwain.

Rev. Hugh Johnston, B. D., late pastor of Metropolitan Methodist church, Toronto, will leave on the 10th prox. for this city, Port Simpson and Southern California. He will be here three weeks from to-day and will deliver one of his interesting lectures, probably "From London to Jerusalem" before going further. The doctor will be accompanied by Wm. Gooderham, Esq., one of Toronto's wealthiest and most public spirited citizens.

WHAT SOME PEOPLE SAY.

That there is sure to be a great demand for SAVORY'S CIDER at the jubilee sports and picnics; those catering to the public should provide accordingly. No luncheon basket complete without it. *1m

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That the finest assortment of fishing rods and tackle in the province is at J. Barnsley's, Fort street, near Douglas, just received via the C. P. R. tf

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CAPITAL NEWS.

The Week's Doings in and Around the Parliament Buildings.

Victoria Harbor Appropriation—Prohibition—McNamee's Claim—New Beacons for British Columbia—Senatorial Eccentricities.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, June 18.—"No harbor appropriation this year." Such in effect was the message wired to THE COLONIST the other day. Despite the energetic efforts of your two representatives, Messrs. Baker and Shakespeare—and their efforts were energetic—the appropriation is still in the dim and misty future. When the supplementaries came down I at once saw the minister of public works in regard to the Victoria harbor appropriation, and he explained the matter to me substantially as follows: In the first place the application for a grant was rather late in arriving and the sum mentioned by the city council, $100,000, was such that Sir Hector deemed it expedient, before undertaking a work involving such a large expenditure, that he must be able to lay before his colleagues and before parliament such data, obtained from personal inspection by an officer of the department, which would justify the carrying out of the proposed improvements. He stated further that he would detail an officer to make such inspection, and I suppose that the matter will have to rest at this point for this year. Personally, I regret having to record a failure to secure an appropriation, as I had been given to understand that some money, no matter how small, would be voted this session to commence operations. Next year your representatives will renew their efforts, and provided they are backed up by early action on the part of the city council, an appropriation should be forthcoming.

PROHIBITION.

The prohibitionists are satisfied with the result of the debate and division last Monday evening, so far as it goes. Forty-two majority against total prohibition is not discouraging, and next parliament they confidently expect the majority will be on the other side. Conservative prohibitionists are, however, deeply grieved that the whole cabinet, save Mr. Foster, should have voted against a principle, which they maintain the people of Canada are in favor of, as shown by the large majorities given in favor of the Scott act. There is a rumor abroad that Sir John threatened to resign if the motion were carried, although I cannot vouch for its correctness. All the British Columbia members, except Mr. Shakespeare, voted against the motion. I telegraphed you that Mr. Baker was not present, but discovered afterwards I was mistaken.

TAKING TO THE WOODS.

This week the city has been full of railway bonus hunters. One company who have projected a line—the Maskinonge & Nipissing railway—to run due west from Quebec through the back country to Sudbury on the C. P. R., have issued a pamphlet setting forth the advantages of the line, from which the following choice morsel is culled: "There is no use concealing the fact that, on account of the extensive length of our frontier and the small depth of the settlements in the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, Canada would be exposed to serious dangers in the case of a war with our neighbors. The best means of making up for this state of affairs, which might cause a national disaster, would be the establishment behind our mountains of a back country which could be rendered almost impregnable by the massing there of a strong and vigorous population. The region settled by the Maskinonge & Nipissing railway would become the citadel of Canada, and our population would find there a secure refuge in the hour of danger, and the railway would be a military route whereon our armies could circulate easily and safely."

This is taking to the woods with a vengeance. The gentlemen who present such a valuable inducement to the people of Canada, ought surely to get a bonus for their road, and the chances are they will, as Mr. Chapleau is in favor of it."

THE MCNAMEE CLAIMS.

What steps the government propose to take in regard to the award of the committee to McNamee & Co. for compensation has not yet transpired. Mr. McNamee is here pushing his claims with great vigor. He has many friends on both sides of the house who think that he has not been fairly dealt with, and they may be able to induce the government to dispose of the matter at once.

SENATORIAL ECCENTRICITIES.

During the past fortnight the worthy senators have talked hardly anything but divorce and Chinese immigration. There is little connection between the two, but the members of the upper house take great delight in the subjects. Out of a divorce debate the following correction of a rather amusing misreport was made by Senator Vidal. Said he: "Before the question is put to the house I trust that I will be allowed to refer to a very remarkable thing which occurred in connection with this debate. Either there is a very extraordinary mistake in the report, or the hon. member from Amherst has made an extraordinary mistake which escaped my observation or hearing. I was not at all aware, as I find it here recorded in the report, that Mr. Dickey said, 'The hon. gentleman,' referring to myself, 'has removed his own domicile from the state of Massachusetts to the state of adultery.'" I really do not like such a statement as that to go on record without having at least lifted up my voice against it. I must ask the hon. gentleman on what ground he makes such a charge against me?"

Hon. Mr. Dickey said: "I quite sympathize with my hon. friend on the present occasion, and I feel bound to say to the house that I was not aware that the hon. member had ever obtained a domicile in the State of Massachusetts; I was equally ignorant that he had been in a 'state of adultery.' I beg to state that, so far as the statement is concerned, it is an entire mistake. It is a misreport of the badinage which I threw across the house, and which was intended to apply to the unfortunate man who was made a victim of this bill. It occurred in this way: It was after the contention that he was living in a state of adultery that I said in a playful way, "You have changed this man's residence from the State of Massachusetts to the state of adultery."

It is almost useless to follow these "representatives of the people" in their vagaries on the Chinese question. One and all appear to be animated with the most intense affection for the Mongolian. They have gone so far as to make amendments to the government bill, which the government cannot accept, and if they insist upon them, then the bill will have to be dropped. Probably before the session closes they will carry their admiration of the Chinese so far as to appoint half a dozen on the senate staff. The eccentric conduct of the senators can only be accounted for by the fact that they know they are responsible to nobody and consequently can do as they please.

If, however, they continue this course of antagonism to the wishes of the people they will only expedite the time when they will be legislated out of existence and a new senate created in lieu thereof.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN PEAKS.

The changes in the names of certain peaks in the Rockies wired last night, were made by order in council, the reason assigned being that it is desirable to change the unauthorized and inappropriate names given to the natural features along the national highway in the Rocky Mountain district to the name of persons more intimately connected with the inception and execution of the great work. The origins of the new mountain names, Macdonald, Mackenzie, Tupper, Pope and Macpherson, will at once be detected.

MR. CHAPLEAU ANNOYED.

The debates' committee of the commons met yesterday to consider a lettter forwarded to the chairman by Hon. Mr. Chapleau, in which he asked for the dismissal of three of the French translators of the Debates' staff for taking an active part in the last general election and making themselves obnoxious to him. One of them, Poirier, called him a hangman, a fibber, a slave to the Orange lodges, a renegade to his faith and nationality, and a man to whom veracity is a stranger, and the others used equally strong language. The translators contend, which is the actual fact, that they are only sessional employés, and that their time is their own during recess. The committee inclined to the view that nothing could be done with the translators on this account, as the offences complained of were committed out of session, but decided to hold another sitting and discuss the matter further.

CORRIG BOYS' SCHOOL.

Corrig school closed on the 18th inst. The register shows an attendance of twenty-six pupils during the year, of which the majority were boarders. The average percentage obtained at the several examinations during the year is as follows.

Class I.—J. Graham Abbott, 76; Robt. Musgrave, 72; Christopher Musgrave, 70; Walter Earle, 68; August L. Pendola, 61; Arthur Hamilton, 34.

Class II.—Alexander R. Green, 70; Joseph D. Pemberton, 63; Henri Jorand, 61; Arthur A. Rhodes, 60.

Class III.—Frank W. Green, 77; Raymond Wilson and Thomas English 70; Perley R. Brenton, 63; Ben. Van Volkenburg, 51; Hamilton Abbott, 22.

Class IV—William D. Pemberton, 68; Albert G. Langley, 67; Herbert Gordon and Robin Dunsmuir, 58; James Byrn, 43; Frederick Foster, 35.

Special prizes given by G. C. Phinney, Esq., of Seattle, for the best papers in Latin, English history and geography, were won by J. Graham Abbott, closely competed for, however, by R. Musgrave, who was only 5 per cent. behind in Latin, and by Edward C. Musgrave, who was only 1 per cent. behind in both history and geography.

The following are deserving of honorable mention, as standing first and second in their respective departments.

Class I.—J. Graham Abbott, Robt. Musgrave, Edward C. Musgrave and Walter Earle.

Class II.—A. Rainer Green, Joseph D. Pemberton.

Class III.—Frank W. Green, W. Raymond Wilson, Thomas English.

Class IV.—W. Despart Pemberton, Albert Goodwin Langley.

MARINE.

Steamer Empire is due at East Wellington from San Francisco.

Tug Pilot towed the bark Nanaimo to Moodyville yesterday to load lumber.

Ship Commodore has sailed from San Francisco for Departure Bay.

Ship Cheesebrough will complete her cargo of the V. C. Co.'s coal to-morrow night.

Steamer Mexico did not leave the outer wharf for San Francisco until 6 o'clock last evening.

The bark Huasquina did not go to Port Blakely yesterday as announced, but will probably leave to-day.

H. M. S. Caroline left for Cowichan yesterday and will attend the 1st of July celebration at Vancouver.

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All accounts to date to be paid to the undersigned, who will also settle outstanding bills to date. JOSEPH BAYLEY.
Victoria, June 20th, 1887.
Having assumed the proprietorship of the Occidental Hotel, corner of Wharf and Johnson streets, I beg to notify my friends and the general public that I will endeavor to keep the business up to a high standard of excellence, and solicit your patronage.
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Victoria, June 20, 1887. jo21-5td-1tw

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SUPPLEMENT.

A HAMILTON DIVORCE CASE.

Extraordinary Marriage and its Sequel.—A Medical Man's Freak.

An Ottawa dispatch says: The evidence in the divorce case in which Dr. W. A. Lavell seeks relief from his marriage to Ada Mary Caton, now Mrs. Fralick, has been printed and circulated, as is the custom, for the private information of members. The case is a most extraordinary one. It appears that the parties were married under assumed names at Hamilton and parted immediately, and that later on Miss Caton became acquainted with Mr. Fralick and married him. Dr. Lavell is advised that his marriage with Miss Caton is valid. He therefore wishes a divorce in order that he may be free to contract a marriage without incurring the risk of committing bigamy. The first witness called was the Rev. R. G. Sutherland, rector of St. Mark's, Hamilton. He said Dr. Lavell and Miss Caton came to be married by him on September the 29th, 1882, and thus described themselves: He was Arthur Vane, aged 22, a physician, of Rochester, a Methodist; she was Marie Herbert, aged 20, an Anglican and a resident of Detroit. His parents' names were Michael and Betsy Vane; her's Allen and Mary Herbert. The couple were married by license. Asked if there were anything remarkable about the marriage, Mr. Sutherland replied: "Nothing. I was particularly struck with the grace and elegance of the bride, and I thought they were a very happy couple." Dr. Lavell, the petitioner, next appeared, and said he was a resident of Smith's Falls. In 1882 he was residing at Merrickville. At that time he had known Miss Caton for eight years and was engaged to her. He met her at Milton on the day before the ceremony, and the next day he went with her to Hamilton, where the two were married under the names already given. Both at once returned to Milton, the lady to stay with her uncle there. He accompanied her to Newberg, where her father lives. He did not see her again until November. Subsequently she talked of marrying some one else but he objected on the ground that she was his wife. He was afterwards informed she intended to marry W. G. Fralick, of Napanee. He saw Fralick and told him of the marriage. Afterwards he saw Miss Caton and was shown by her a letter signed by Alexander Campbell, and said by her to have been written by Sir Alexander Campbell, giving his opinion that the Hamilton marriage was not valid. On the afternoon of the day Fralick and Miss Caton were to be married. Fralick arranged an interview with him, at which he stated he had the opinion of Mr, Bethune, that the marriage was legal, and that he therefore would not marry Miss Caton. At this the petitioner proceeded to Newberg, intending to explain matters to Miss Caton's father and to have a second marriage if necessary. He could neither see the father nor Miss Caton. The next morning he learned that Fralick and Miss Caton had been married during the night and had gone west.

Senator Sanford put this question to the witness: Why did you not make her your wife at once? If you loved her well enough to marry her, why did you not take her as your wife?

Lovell replied—You ask the question I cannot answer. I cannot realize now what my object was specially.

Q. You were engaged to her?

A. Yes.

Q. You loved the girl, and desired to make her your wife?

A. Yes.

Q. What was your object in acting as you did?

A. That is what I would like to know. I do not know.

Q. Did she object?

A. No.

Q. But you objected to take her at once as your wife?

A. I was not in a position to marry at the time. If I had been financially in a position to support her as my wife we would have lived together.

Can you offer, asked Senator Gowan, any explanation or excuse for your conduct?

A. I cannot offer any explanation or excuse. The only excuse I can offer for the change of name is the fact that I did not consider this a marriage between two names. I considered it a marriage between two persons.

Rev. Wm. Briden, of Beaverton, testified that he married Miss Caton and W. E. Fralick, at the residence of Miss Caton's father, Newburg, on February the 15th, following the marriage at Hamilton. The marriage took place at 2 o'clock in the morning. It was to have taken place earlier, but was postponed to that hour owing to the non-arrival of the bridegroom, who, when he put in an appearance, explained that important business had detained him. The Senate has yet to adjudicate upon the case.

AFFECTING MEETING IN PRISON.

Mother and Daughter Separated for Eighteen Years United in a Cell.

A Milwaukee (Wis.) telegram says: A strange meeting took place in the women's ward of the House of Correction one day last week between a mother and daughter, who had been separated for eighteen years. During that time the mother had searched unremittingly for her child, and disappointment had driven her into dissipated habits, and these, in turn, had landed her in the prison where she has been most of the time for the past few years. The daughter, Mrs. Ben Seery, wife of a professional skater, was taken by her grandparents and brought up by them. Her father had enlisted, and was killed during the civil war. She grew to womanhood, was married and deserted, and then, to support her children, went into dissolute habits. A short time ago she was sent to the House of Correction, and there she met her mother, though each was unaware at the time of the other's identity. Side by side they worked until one day last week, when the elder began to tell her sad story. The younger listened, with pity on every feature. At is conclusion she said that she, too, would give a great deal to see her mother, whom she had not seen since long ago at "Grandpa Crombie's."

"My God! You're my child!" cried the other, dropping her work, and, regardless of prison discipline, throwing her arms about her recovered daughter. Since then they have been inseparable. The daughter refuses to leave the prison until her mother is released, though her time is up, and friends will see that both are placed in a situation to reform and lead better lives.

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TRUE LOVE'S TEST.

"I wish you wouldn't take that fellow's bouquets, Leonie. I know, dear, you do not care anything about him, but I cannot bear to have you even let him imagine that you do."

"Now, Hal, don't be unreasonable," was Leonie's pouting reply, as with "There's my cue!" she tripped on to the stage.

Hal Duncan was the leading man at Stockton's Theatre, whilst Leonie Burns had been engaged as a soubrette. She was a decided favorite among theatre-goers by reason of her natural talents and pretty winsome face.

Leonie Burns had promised at some indefinite date to marry Hal Duncan.

Perhaps Leonie never could have told exactly why she promised to marry him. It might have been because he was so strong and steady, and the receiver of quite a handsome salary, or perhaps because his company was assiduously sought by some fashionable damsels.

Be it as it might, however, it was not exactly for love that Leonie became the promised wife of Hal Duncan, or she would never have teased and wounded him as often as she did; although, to give her her due, she usually made it up by being so charmingly penitent for the space of about five minutes that he was willing to put up with her tantalizing ways just for that glimpse of after bliss.

If Hal could have had his way, they would have been married there and then; but she always put him off with an excuse, arguing there was plenty of time and they did very well as they were, and so Hal was fain to rest content and be thankful for any extra amiability on Leonie's part.

About this time an exquisite of the first water regularly put in an appearance at each performance given at Stockton's Theatre, bearing in his immaculate gloved hand an elaborate bouquet. No sooner did the pretty soubrette, Leonie Burns, appear upon the stage, than this was passed into the keeping of the usher to be handed up to her, much to the annoyance of Hal Duncan.

Leonie enjoyed the little flutter of excitement it always caused, and the numerous sallies called forth by the devotion of her "admirer."

So far, Leonie's admirer had contented himself with applauding her every effort and the presentation of flowers; but on the night of our story's opening and the appeal of Hal Duncan to his intended to desist from accepting the dude's offerings, a tiny box containing a sapphire ring was concealed in the bouquet.

Leonie very wisely determined that it had better be returned. Flowers were different, but anything further, of course, must be nipped in the bud.

Unfortunately, however, she thought: "I must just try it on first; it is too sweet for anything."

At that moment Hal Duncan happened to pass her dressing-room door, which stood open, and glancing in he saw her pretty figure reflected in a mirror in the act of placing the ring upon her finger.

In a second he was by her side, exclaiming hotly:

"So it has come to this, that he presents you with jewelry!" pointing to the ring; adding: "Leonie, if you accept that ring all is over between us."

Leonie answered saucily: "As you please, Mr. Duncan," and with a snatch of a song upon her lips she turned and danced gayly out of the room.

If Mr. Duncan had followed her he would have seen her head a few moments afterwards bent in earnest conlab with Tom, the call-boy, as a small box passed from her keeping into his.

However, as he was angrily gnawing his mustache, and vowing that he would tear Leonie from his heart, he missed that which would have set all things right between them. But instead they met, he coolly polite, she apparently utterly indifferent to the man she had once promised to wed; and, of course, it was soon whispered about that the engagement between Leonie Burns and Hal Duncan was off.

On the third finger of Leonie's left hand now gleamed, instead of the pearl ring, Hal's gift, a sapphire, whilst her "admirer's" bouquets continued to be charged with dainty *billet-doux* and little odd-shaped packages, all of which were smilingly received over the footlights by the fascinating soubrette.

It was even hinted that Miss Burns had been seen driving with her fashionable admirer, and that before long Stockton's Theatre might lose its star.

If anyone knew how matters stood it was Tom, the call-boy, between Leonie and whom a confidence seemed to have sprung up; but Tom, who was Miss Burns's devoted champion, would have been cut up and eaten, as he expressed himself, before he would have divulged anything that she might have confided to him.

Things had been going on this way for about a month, when one evening Hal Duncan failed to put in an appearance at the theatre.

It was time to ring up the curtain, and still no leading man.

The stage-manager at last dispatched Tom to Hal Duncan's lodgings, from whence back came the boy breathless with the news that Mr. Duncan had not been at his lodgings since morning.

A hasty gathering together of the theatre forces, and to the walking gentleman was consigned Hal Duncan's part; whilst an apology was made to the audience for the leading man's non-appearance, and indulgence craved for the actor who at so short a notice was called upon to take Mr. Duncan's place.

Hardly had the curtain arose before a messenger-boy arrived with the information that Mr. Duncan, whilst out driving that afternoon with a friend, had been thrown from the carriage and severely if not fatally injured, and was at that moment being cared for at a house in the neighborhood of the accident.

The horses had taken fright at the firing of a pistol by a boy, and in their mad course had run into a fence and overthrown the carriage. Mr. Duncan, being undermost, had received the worst injuries, his head having struck against a stone. His friend escaped with a broken arm.

It was after that night's performance that Leonie, calling to the call-boy, observed as she pointed to her dressing-table with an impatient air:

"Just take that away, Tom, and put it on the—the ash-heap."

Then, as with a grin Tom removed a bouquet from off Miss Burns's toilet-table, she questioned:

"Is he really so dreadfully hurt? Oh, it's awful! Couldn't you—don't you think, Tom, find out if he is any better?" Then, half explanatory, she added:

"When one has played with anyone for so long it's heathenish not to take an interest and inquire after them in such a case."

"Of course, miss," was Tom's answer; followed by: "I'll run over to-night, miss, and bring you word at your lodgings just exactly how he is."

"You're a darling!" ejaculated Miss Burns, and adding: "And mind, don't you say a word to anyone," dismissed him.

"Never you fear, miss;" and with these words Tom hurried off, the obnoxious bouquet in his hand.

Quite a pale little face, with the least suspicion of tears about the pretty eyes, met Tom some three-quarters of an hour later at the door of Miss Burns's lodgings, where he delivered himself of the following:

"I'm dreadfully sorry, miss, but he's hurt awful and don't know anybody, and they're afraid he'll die, and they've got a sister of mercy to take care of him; so don't you fret, if anybody can pull him through a sister can. They know just how to nurse a fellow."

From that night Leonie during the daytime denied herself to everybody, appearing, however, at the theatre regularly, going through her part, as far as the audience was concerned, much the same as usual.

Paler and thinner she was, certainly, but her makeup and the glare of the footlights concealed all such defects.

The weeks drifted by, and still Hal Duncan hovered between life and death, but at last the doctors averred that there must be a change for the better or worse ere long.

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A glint of sunshine shone upon the bowed head of a sister of mercy as she busied herself among the medicine-bottles on a little stand that stood near her patient's bed.

Ever and anon her gaze was directed with an anxious expression towards her charge.

How still he lay, the sheet not whiter than his colorless face!

Once she moved nearer to the death-like form with a frightened look gathering in her eyes, and caught her breath with something that sounded like a sob as she noted how wasted the once stalwart frame had become.

Her girlish figure and face seemed over-young for such a task, but the doctor who came in a few minutes a terwards appeared highly satisfied with the patient's nurse, for he shook her warmly by the hand on his leaving, saying:

"I shall recommend you to the faculty as one of the best nurses it has been my fate to meet. Our patient owes it in a great measure to your untiring care if he recovers. Mind, I do not say he will recover, but his symptoms this morning are decidedly better, and if he awakes from this sleep in a rational frame of mind, the chances are that we will pull him through after all."

Two weeks after the doctor pronounced a possibility of Hal Duncan's recovery, that gentleman was sitting propped up in bed by pillows and looking like the ghost of his former self, but with all his faculties about him.

He was regarding with rather a puzzled look in his dark eyes the sister of mercy, who was tidying up the room, and whose good, honest, kindly face, beamed pleasantly upon him, and thinking:

"Could hers be the pretty girlish figure of his dreams that had bent so lovingly over him when he lay powerless? Could those work-roughened hands have been the little ones, so soft and cool, that in those same dreams had so often rested upon his throbbing brow?"

With his weakened voice he called:

"Nurse."

Then, as she came quickly to his side he added:

"I have to thank you for your untiring care of me. I am afraid I never should have pulled through but for your faithful watchfulness."

"You owe me no thanks," quietly answered the woman. "What little I have done was only my duty. It is our work to take care of the sick and the friendless. Besides, I only took charge of you when the other nurse was unable to be here, and now, since you have been pronounced out of danger——"

"The other nurse!" he repeated, wonderingly; then with a sudden uplighting of his face he murmured half to himself: "Then it was the other one, and my dream——"

A knock at the door made itself heard, and before the nurse had time to bid whoever it was to enter, the handle was turned and Leonie's pretty face appeared.

With a feeble cry that perhaps touched Leonie more than anything else could have done, Hal Duncan uttered her name.

Advancing towards the bed, Leonie murmured demurely:

"I am glad to see you so much better. It is nice getting well, isn't it?"

"Nice!" he repeated. "What have I to live for now you have ceased to love me?"

The piteous ring in his voice was too much for Leonie, and with the impulsive cry of, "Oh, Hal, you have me; I—I want you!" dropped upon her knees and laid her cheek against the sick man's hand.

"Leonie!" he exclaimed hoarsely, "do you really mean it? Oh, my darling, you are not saying it out of pity?"

"Oh, no, Hal!" was the answer. "Although I never knew how much I cared for you until I thought you would die, and—and I never meant to keep that ring, and Tom can tell you that I did send it right back, only I was so mad at you that I bought one as near like it as I could, and wore it to tease you; but I was so miserable all the time, and if you'd only say a word and not been so—so obstinate"—(this last with a convulsive sob, as she continued): "I have worn your—your ring ever since you have been ill."

Leonie's head rested on Hal's breast as she went on eagerly:

"Tom can tell you how I sent back everything, and refused to have anything to say to the idiot. How could you think I would? Only, you see, I had to keep taking his bouquets, because you wouldn't make up. Oh, and when I heard that you were dying!—oh, Hal, my heart was almost broken! But I wheedled the doctor into letting me nurse you along with the sister, and he says I am the best nurse he ever knew, and if—if you don't care to make up, why I think I will leave the stage, and turn sister of mercy and take to nursing."

There was a smile dawning upon the sick man's mouth, as he said:

"And so my darling was the little nurse of my dreams, and I was trying to reconcile myself to the fact that it must have been Sister Agatha."

That worthy person had left the room soon after Leonie entered. She apprehended the situation and acted with the quiet tact of a woman of excellent sense.

There was silence between the sick man and Leonie for a moment, then Hal said:

"To your loving care, my darling, I owe my life, but it is perfectly valueless to me unless you share it. Leonie, must I wait long?"

Leonie's answer must have been satisfactory, for in three weeks from that day there was a wedding at which Leonie Burns became Mrs. Hal Duncan.

Her exotic admirer has not be seen in Stockton since, although its theatre soubrette is as charming as ever, albeit she is now the devoted mother of a lovely infant, and the very pattern of a domestic little wife. And Hal? Well, his cup of bliss is full to overflowing.

HERE'S AN ABLE STORY.

A hunter who has hunted and mined from Arizona to the Yellowstone, and who is highly esteemed for truth and veracity, was telling me that he had the other day made a most wonderful discovery, and that he had seen gold that would put the Treasury of the United States at a discount. The discovery was made in the mountains not more than ten miles from the Government bridge over Yampa river, in Routt county, Colorado.

He said that when he was on top of one of the mountains seen from the bridge that he saw at the bottom of the cliff that he was peering over that the ground was smooth an clean, as if deer or bears had been in the habit of resting and sunning themselves through the heat of the early spring days.

Being anxious to get a deer or have a fight with a bear, he descended by a circuitous route to the foot of the cliff. Peering cautiously around for game, he was somewhat startled at hearing the rattle of a snake. Looking about, he saw large numbers of them lying around, while there was a constant stream of them going into a round hole in the rock near the bottom of the cliff.

Being anxious to destroy as many of the reptiles as he possibly could, he procured a forked stick and placing the fork over the neck of one of the largest, he pinioned him to the ground; then tying a half dozen sticks of giant powder to his tail, set a slow match to it and then let the snake go. After seeing his snakeship go into the hole, the hunter retreated to a safe distance to await developments. He did not have long to wait. First there was a slight trembling of the ground, then a burst that shook the mountain like an earthquake, and with that burst the whole side of the cliff toppled off and fell to the ground, and up went more snakes than was ever thought of by either Gulliver or Baron Munchausen.

The face of the rock was honey-combed with round holes, out of which snakes were pouring like water through a knot hole as long as the hunter stayed, and he stayed long enough to see many thousands seething and hissing in their rage and agony, when he became weary of the sight and left, but not until he had seen that the whole face of the cliff was covered with solid gold.—*Denver Tribune.*

TREES AS SANITARY "POINTERS."

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PROGRESS IN MAXIMS.

Old Saws Adapted for the Present Age—Ideas Advancing.

(Written for the Sunday COLONIST.*)*

The bent of the present age is progress. Not alone in mechanics, art, literature and science have we advanced, but even our minds and intellects have expanded and grown and are growing to keep pace with the march of improvement going on.

The rapid growth of education and thought has given rise to a new class of literature, and what was once considered excellent mental pabulum, is now looked upon as stale and insipid. The wise saws and sayings of years ago are coming to be regarded as too narrow and constrained in their precepts and teachings. They require revision and readaption to suit the present, though they may have answered admirably in the past. Take for example that ancient and well-worn phrase

"A ROLLING STONE GATHERS NO MOSS."

Considered under the present state of affairs it is not a good maxim to follow. Who would wish to be an old moss-grown stone, stuck away in some shady corner of the field lying quiet and unknown for years, perched upon by the birds, covered with dirt and dead leaves, a shelter for toads and lizards and a scratching place for cows. Is it not better to be a bright and shining pebble in the quick flowing stream? To be brilliant and smooth with wear, clean and polished with constant attrition would be better than to be in the state of filth and neglect of the moss-covered stone.

Just the same difference can be seen between men who have become rich or moss-grown by standing in one place and those who though not largely blessed with wealth are refined and brilliant by contact with the great world. Take a man of the first sort. Can he converse intelligently on the great questions of the day? His ideas are cramped and narrow. Speak to him of the wonderful triumphs of art and science and he knows nothing of them. He didn't have time while acquiring his moss to either read about or go and see such things. His whole being was bound up in gathering moss, and now he is only a dullard, patronized by intelligent people for the sake of his wealth, but covertly scorned by them for his excessive ignorance. Such men, too, are nearly always self-opinionated and arrogant in their small ideas. They have had no mixing with the busy world to prove to them how small and little they really are, and as their moss has given them a certain power in society, they assume to also have brains, but the present generation is fast leaving such fossils behind.

The polished gentleman of to-day, who has travelled and read, and who by constant rolling along the stream of life has become bright and glittering, is the man to converse with. He is broad in his views, liberal in his beliefs and elegant in his manners. He has become brilliant by years of attrition with others equally as brilliant and his life of activity has brought out his brightest points. He is respected and looked up to, and though he may not have moss, his brilliant manner makes him liked and his company sought after.

Activity and motion is an essential law of nature. Without exercise and change we become sluggish and physically and mentally dull and incapable. Just the same will our minds and manners grow cloudy and rough if we do not roll. Let us roll then, and as we revolve together let us avoid striking too hard against our neighbors who may not be of the same adamantine formation as ourselves. Gentle touches produce the finest polish, and if we think of this we shall roll smoothly down the River of Life and when we reach the Harbor of the Beyond we shall have received a delicate and perfect lustre whose brilliancy will remain undimmed even after we are swallowed up in the Sea of Eternity.

Just the same, too, with other old saws whose precepts may have been all right when they were first evolved. In the humdrum and methodical past they did very well, but the present requires different ones. A few new features can be introduced in these ancient sayings whereby they would become more suited to this date. Take, for instance, the adage we have expatiated on, it could be advantageously changed to

A ROLLING STONE GROWS BRIGHT.

A WORLD OF LIARS.

(Written for the Sunday COLONIST.*)*

"All men are liars."

This was asserted in public some two thousand years ago, and as we have no authentic account of its contradiction we must assume that it was a fact which was so potent to everyone that to dispute it would have been a sheer waste of time and argument. Why, however, the male sex alone are stigmatized as perverters of the truth it is impossible to say, but perhaps the term "men" was used to include the whole human race, of both sexes, as, though it may appear rude to say it, the softer sex can also be considered as adepts in the art of lying.

Gentle reader, do not feel shocked at this doctrine, but lying—pure, simple and unadulterated perversion of facts—is as necessary to our present state of civilization as the very air we breathe. From our earliest infancy we have been taught to lie, and some of us have become past masters in the art. It is all very well to look horror-stricken at this assertion, but our every day life and actions prove it to be an indisputable fact. Unless we were liars, constantly and unremittingly, we would be looked upon as people to be avoided and shunned. The man who told no lies would be voted a brute, and the lady who did not systematically exaggerate would soon lose her circle of friends.

How seldom we speak the truth in everyday life. We may not lie maliciously or with hurtful intent, but the lie is there all the same. Take, for instance, the average merchant. A customer enters a store, and is met by the affable and smiling attendant, who seems by every action and word to be trying to express a deep sense of gratitude for the honor of the visit. Should the customer be a lady, and the store a dry-goods one, the chances are that nearly the entire stock has to be taken down, admired or found fault with by the fair speculator, who at last makes some paltry purchase, and on leaving the store is bowed out most politely by the merchant, who, in the most engaging manner begs her to call again, says it's no trouble to show goods, etc., and who all the time wishes that some dire and terrible disaster would overtake the customers who uses up valuable time over trivial purchases. But had the merchant not lied, had he, instead of being polite and attractive, said, "Look here ma'am, just you buy what you want, and leave, because I'm busy," how long do you think it would be ere he figured in the bankrupt court.

Just the same sort of lie is used when a blundering man steps on a lady's train. "Oh, don't mention it. It is really nothing," she says, sweetly, in reply to profuse apologies. But in her inner mind she expresses an opinion of the clumsiness of the awkward fellow, which would make his ears tingle if expressed verbally. Should the lady have given speech to her thoughts she would have been thought rude and vulgar, but by a judicious lie, she proves as possessing a sweet temper and a perfectly lady-like manner.

How often is the well-worn phrase "I'm glad to see you," used, when the reverse is often meant. Still the lie is handy, and is much more pratical. Some one whom we never have met or heard of is introduced to us. "I am pleased to know you," is said, though in fact the one who utters the words does not feel the slightest pleasure, nor would he care in the least had he never saw the party. Social conventionality demands, however, that this, or some kindred expression be used, for without them our greetings would be cool indeed.

Sound, solid and skillful lying is a most imperative adjunct to success, both in social and business life, and the one who would try to get along without practicing the art of falsehood, will find that it is uphill work.

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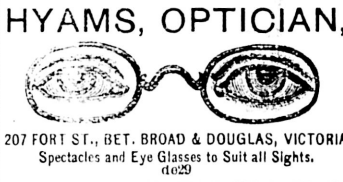

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NOTICE.

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At Clinton, Friday, 13th May, 1887.
At Lillooet, Wednesday, 18th May, 1887.
At 150 Mile House, Tuesday, 28th June, 1887.
At Soda Creek, Thursday, 30th June, 1887.
At Quesnellemouth, Monday, 4th July, 1887.
At Richfield, Saturday, 9th July, 1887.

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th April, 1887. apr22-td

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Victoria, May 25th, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held in the Agricultural Hall, Victoria, commencing on Monday, July 4th, at 10 a. m.

Intending candidates are required to notify this Department and furnish testimonials prior to June 24th.

Applicants for Renewal of Certificates are hereby notified to comply with the requirements of sub-section 8 of section 41 of the "Public School Act, 1885."

S. D. POPE,
my27-1m Superintendent of Education.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1887.

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[On Mainland.]

New Westminster, Wednesday. 4th May.
Kamloops.....Monday..... 6th June.
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield.....Monday.....12th September.
Clinton.....Wednesday.28th September.
Kamloops.....Monday..... 3rd October.
Lytton.....Monday.....10th October.
New Westminster Wednesday.. 9th November.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday.....28th November.
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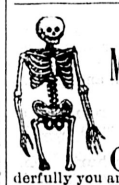

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